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BRIEF WEATHER REPORT.

FORECAST for Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain; brisk to high south winds.

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 55 deg.; Wind 5 a.m. east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m. southeast, velocity 12 miles. At midnight the temperature was 58 deg.; raining.

TODAY: At 3 a.m. the temperature was 55 deg.; raining.

The rainfall up to 3 o'clock this morning, since yesterday evening, was 1.15 inches, making the season's total about 7.28 inches.

FORECAST for San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled, with showers; brisk south wind.

[The complete Weather Report including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 8, Part I.]

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Belvidere, W. O. Bowen of San Diego.

THE REVOLT IN RUSSIA.

EMPEROR NICHOLAS RECEIVES WORKMEN.

Promises to Ameliorate Their Condition and Remove Causes of Strike.

Prince Mirsky Retires from Ministry of Interior, Owing to Pressure from Reactionaries — Strike Movement Spreading All Over the Empire, Even to Siberia. Uprising at Tiflis Regarded Serious.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2, 12:40 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Personal assurances of his intention to ameliorate the conditions and remove the causes, in so far as they are economic, which led to the recent strike, were delivered by Emperor Nicholas yesterday to workingmen representing all the leading factories of St. Petersburg, who, at his invitation, journeyed to Tsarkoe Selo and were received in audience in the hall of the Alexander Palace.

This interview, face to face with their "Little Father," in whom their faith had been shaken by the events of the bloody Sunday of January 22, has had a far greater and more reassuring effect than any number of proclamations by ministers and governor generals, and the workmen of St. Peterburg are now generally inclined to accept the promises of Governor General Trepoff and Finance Minister Kekovsoff at their face value.

The gift by the Imperial family of $25,000 to aid the families of the victims of January 22, also has had an excellent effect and as the news slowly permeates the laboring classes of Russia it is expected that it will make them content to wait for the promised reforms.

Like a wave caused by the falling of a stone, the strike movement, however, is spreading over the great sea of Russian industrial life; and, while St. Petersburg and Moscow, where the troubles began, are now placid, the workmen of Poland and other provinces are not yet calm and the ripple has reached to far-off Irkutsk and other Siberian towns.

The retirement of Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky from the Ministry of the Interior has been accomplished in such a way as to indicate that the Emperor is satisfied to be rid of a minister of the Prince's avowed liberal tendencies.

The forecast that Bouligan will be named for Minister of the Interior is construed as indicating a recognition of Grand Duke Sergius's predominating influence with his nephew, the Emperor.

CZAR RECEIVES WORKMEN. PROMISES AN INVESTIGATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Emperor Nicholas this afternoon received at Tsarskoe Selo a delegation of thirty-four workingmen representing the employés of the factories and workshops of St. Petersburg.

The deputation was accompanied by Minister of Finance Kokovosoff and Gov.-Gen. Trepoff and proceeded by the imperial railroad to Tsarskoe Selo, where carriages were awaiting them at a point near the imperial pavilion, when they were driven to the palace, where the workmen were admitted to one of the halls.

The Emperor entered the hall accompanied by Grand Duke George Mikhailovitch, Gen. Hesse, minister of the imperial court, and the commandant of the palace.

The workmen bowed deeply to the Emperor, who said: "Good day, my children."

The workmen replied: "We wish Your Majesty good health."

The Emperor then said: "I have summoned you in order that you may hear my words from myself and communicate them to your companions. The recent lamentable events, with such sad but inevitable results, have occurred because you allowed yourselves to be led astray by traitors and enemies to our country. When they induced you to address a petition to me on your needs they desired to see you revolt against me and my government. They forced you to leave your honest work at a period when all Russian workmen should be laboring unceasingly in order that we might vanquish our obstinate enemy. Strikes and disgraceful demonstrations led the crowds to disorders which obliged and always will oblige the authorities to call out troops. As a result, innocent people were victims.

PROMISES RELIEF.

"I know that the lot of the workman is not easy. Many things require improvement, but have patience. You will understand that it is necessary to be just toward your employers and to consider the condition of our industries. But to come to me as a rebellious mob in order to declare your wants is a crime. In my solicitude for the working classes, I will take measures which will assure that everything possible will be done to improve their lot and secure an investigation of their demands through legal channels. I am convinced of the honesty of the workmen and their devotion to myself, and I pardon their transgressions. Return to your work with your comrades and carry out the tasks allotted to you. May God assist you."

At the conclusion of this speech the Emperor told the members of the deputations to communicate his words to their comrades and said he would supply them with printed copies of his address.

After leaving the palace, the deputation proceeded to a neighboring church, where they prayed, and, after kissing Ikons placed lighted candles before the shrines. Subsequently, they were given dinners in a building which formerly was the big school at Tsarskoe Selo.

One of the members of the deputation proposed the health of the Emperor, which was drunk with cheers.

At 4:30 p.m., the delegates drove to the Imperial pavilion, whence they took a train for St. Petersburg.

OFFICIAL "CASUALTIES."

KILLED AT ST. PETERSBURG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] An official statement issued today gives the "casualties" in the collision between strikers and troops January 22 as ninety-six killed and 333 wounded. Of the latter, thirty-two have died.

"ODESSA OFFICIAL SHOT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

[illegible] station here today Chief of Police Galovine was shot in the right shoulder. The wound is not dangerous.

Chief Galovine was in a carriage, when an unknown man, attired as a workman, attempted to assassinate him. The would-be murderer fled, but was captured.

WANTS LAND PARLIAMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—Souvourin, editor of the Novoe Vremya, in that paper, this morning, comes out strongly in favor of a Zemskyazbor (old land Parliament) which, he declares, will not only maintain but will strengthen autocracy. It would be a channel of communication between the sovereign and the people, without which it would be impossible to have lasting reforms.

AS CHINA SEES IT.

NO REVOLUTION THINKS PEKING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PEKING, Feb. 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Accounts of disturbances at St. Petersburg and of happenings in other parts of Russia create much interest in official circles here. It is the general opinion that the revolutionary movement will prove abortive, although it may possibly be the means of leading to an improvement in the conditions of the lower classes in Russia.

It is impossible to gauge the effect of the strike and revolutionary propaganda on the Russians here, as practically all of them belong to the official class. It is thought here that the Russian troops in the field will be kept in ignorance of the situation at home.

Recent political events in France are regarded here as significant and in some quarters as indicating that the French are tired of an alliance with a power which has lost its prestige.

It is not anticipated here that the posting at Moscow of the London telegram attributing the disturbances at Russian dockyards and arsenals to Anglo-Japanese instigation and the attacks on the British Consul and the British Vice-Consul at Warsaw will be attended with serious consequences.

"ACCIDENT" NO ACCIDENT.

SHOTS ACROSS NEVA FOR CZAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1, 3 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A sensational but unconfirmed report was current last night that the commission investigating the incident of January 19—when during the annual ceremony of blessing the waters of the Neva, the Imperial family narrowly escaped death—has discovered that it was a deliberate attempt at terrorism and that the responsibility for the insertion of grape in front of a salute charge has been fixed upon Bogdanoff, a private of the Seventh Battery of the First Horse Artillery of the Guards, who was serving the gun.

Bogdanoff, it is said, is a former student and a member of a revolutionary society.

WARSAW STRIKE EXTENDS.

TROOPS FEAR FOR TRAINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WARSAW, Feb. 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The troops guarding the Warsaw-Vienna Railroad are fearing an outrage on the part of the strikers. On the Vienna-Vistula line, freight trains have been stopped.

Police proclamations have been torn down and carried off, while the Russian names of streets have been daubed over with paint.

The city is quiet, although great tension still prevails. Some stores and offices have been reopened, but only two newspapers were published this morning.

The strike has extended to the sugar refineries and other factories in the districts around Warsaw.

MIRSKY RETIRES.

"ILL-HEALTH" THE CAUSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The retirement of Interior Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky was officially announced today, ill health being assigned as the reason. Durnovo, former Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, becomes Minister of the Interior. Bouligan, former Governor General of Moscow, seems most likely to be Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky's successor, but no decision has yet been reached. The gossips are saying that Emperor Nicholas has offered the portfolio to Witte, president of the Committee of Ministers.

Prince Sviatopolk-Miraky's desire to retire had been known for weeks but the manner in which it was announced was unusual, the retirement of a minister being generally accompanied by an Imperial rescript. For this reason, the form of the announcement is popularly accepted as a reprimand.

Among the extreme reactionaries and even among some of the more moderate conservatives, Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky has been blamed for having from the very outset of his career, encouraged all sorts of Liberal aspirations, which, being impossible of immediate realization, brought the present storm about the head of the government.

IDENTIFIED HIS BALLOT.

DENVER, Feb. 1.—There was a dramatic scene this afternoon in the committee room where the gubernatorial contest is being heard, when Fred Hummel, who is Democratic committeeman in precinct 11, ward 7, a residence district, identified his ballot from a bunch of seventy or eighty which an expert had reported were fraudulent.

TRAIN KILLS WOMEN.

Sleigh Containing Thirteen Members of a Church Party Run Into Near Arkport, N. Y.—Three Escape Alive, but Seriously Injured.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HORNELLSVILLE (N. Y.) Feb. 1.—A passenger train on the Pittsburgh, Shawmut and Northern Railroad tonight crashed into a sleigh containing thirteen women, killing ten of them and seriously injuring the remaining three. The latter are in a serious condition.

The accident occurred near Arkport. The sleigh was one of three carrying a party from the Universalist Church of this city. The dead:

MRS. MARY GILLETTE.
MRS. CHARLES THOMAS.
MRS. EUGENE CHAW.
MRS. JOSEPH HALLETT.
MRS. C. C. GRAVES.
MRS. E. BOUGHTON.
MRS. BERT MOORE.
MRS. COATES.
MRS. RUTH PATCHEN.
MRS. FRED GREEN.

The injured:

MRS. E. R. ROWLEY.
MRS. BOND.
MRS. WALLACE CLARK.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Universalist Church went to a farm near Arkport to spend the afternoon. It was nearly dark when they started on the return trip to the city. The occupants of the leading sleigh saw the train approaching as they neared the Shawmut crossing. The driver urged his horses ahead and the sleigh passed over the tracks in safety. The women in the first sleigh then attempted to warn those in the following of the danger, and they did succeed in directing their attention to the rapidly-approaching train. The driver quickly pulled up his horses but he could not check the heavy bobsled quickly enough, and when it came to a standstill it was directly across the tracks.

The pilot of the engine struck the bobsled with great force, reducing it to splinters and hurling the women in all directions.

WASHINGTON.

"PRACTICAL POLITICS."

Scharf Tries It on Senator Bard.

Former Admits He Tried to Stiffen Opposition to Any A. P. A. Influence.

The President Permits it to be Known No Money Was Wrongly Diverted.

M. J. Daniels Wants a Job. Bill Requiring Corporations to Make Report.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard's political bomb, which was exploded yesterday at a meeting of the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, attracted general attention and comment in Washington today, and, as usual, most of the commentators got things badly mixed and said that Senator Bard had accused the government of diverting Indian funds to the support of sectarian schools; Senator Bard did not make that charge; it was made in the House of Representatives some days ago, and when the charge came before the Senate Committee, Senator Bard told what had come under his observation regarding the attempts of alleged Catholic agents to have money appropriated for the support of Catholic Indian schools. The President let it be known from the White House today that no money had been unlawfully diverted to the support of sectarian schools among the Indians.

E. L. Scharf, who approached Senator Bard with the proposition that if Congress would appropriate money for the support of sectarian schools for the Indians, the Roman Catholic Church would in return throw its influence for the Republican party, said today that Senator Bard had related incidents connected with the proposition with practical accuracy. Scharf said:

"It is true I told Senator Bard of the political preponderance of Catholics in these (Congress) districts and furnished him with a list of the districts and their voting strength. At that time the Indian Appropriation Bill pending contained a provision extending the appropriation for Indian schools, amounting to $200,000 a year. At that time, also, the A. P. A. influence in Congress was asking and securing anti-Catholic legislation, which was especially directed to this question of schools for Indians.

"I felt an interest in the matter, and understood the need of stiffening the backs of those who might be inclined to be our friends. At that time I took it, Senator Bard had also an interest in the success of the Republican party. I concluded he was one of those whose personal inclinations might be stiffened in the right way. Recent events in California may have weakened or destroyed the interest he formerly felt.

"At any rate, I did present him this list of Congress districts and certain facts and figures in connection with each of them. I told him if the A. P. A. organization in any of them opposed the Representative who favored and voted for Catholic Indian school appropriations and if he would apprise me of this fact, I would put them in communication with influential Catholics who would see to it that the hostile influence was successfully combatted. I told Senator Bard if these members were not opposed because of their votes on this question, the Catholics would do nothing, as Catholics, against them. If they were opposed because of their attitude on a matter merely religious, they would be protected. It was a matter of practical politics."

CORPORATIONS TO REPORT.

BILL OF HOUSE COMMITTEE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The House Committee on Judiciary today authorized a favorable report on the bill requiring all corporations engaged in interstate commerce to make annual reports to the Commissioner of Corporations of the Department of Commerce and Labor. The bill was amended in committee so as not to interfere or conflict with any requirements in this respect originally contained in the act creating the department. An amendment was also placed in the bill exempting common carriers from its operation, as railroads are required to report to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The reports required by the bill are to be filed February 1, of each year, covering the year preceding December 31. The information is to contain the name of the corporation, the statute under which organized, constituent companies, amount and value of stocks

and bonds and property constituting capitalization, elements upon which market value of same is fixed, rules and regulations of business. The return is to be made under oath, and failure to do so lays the corporation liable to a restraining order from engaging in and the conduct of business until the return is made.

THE CONGRESS.

CLOSING SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senate: The Senate today, resolved to insist upon its amendments to the Army Appropriation Bill, and Messrs. Proctor, Scott and Cockrell were apointed conferees on the part of the Senate. The principal item in dispute is that relating to assignment of retired army officers to duty with State militia.

When the Statehood Bill was taken up, Mr. Clark of Montana addressed the Senate. He opposed the passage of the bill as it stands, but spoke in support of the admission of the four territories as so many States. He expressed the opinion that the time has come for abolishing the Territorial form of government in the United States, except in the case of Alaska.

MR. DILLINGHAM'S SUPPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Mr. Dillingham supported the proposition for the consolidation of the four Territories into two States, antagonizing all the amendments for a greater number of States. He contended that conditions in Arizona and New Mexico were not such as to justify separate Statehood. Mr. Dillingham said that with Arizona and New Mexico consolidated, there would be 12,000 Mexican and 167,000 American people there, so that there need be no fear of Mexican control, even if such fear had been otherwise entertained from such a passive people as the Mexicans.

Mr. Teller, replying to Mr. Dillingham, said that the people of Arizona and New Mexico had not progressed so rapidly as they would have done under a State form of government. He said that, according to the statistical abstract, the par value of farms in Vermont, Mr. Dillingham's State, had decreased between 1890 and 1900 to the extent of $20,000,000.

Mr. Dillingham said the farm products of Vermont in 1900 were of greater value than all the mineral and agricultural products of Arizona.

Admitting this to be true, Mr. Teller said the decrease in farm values indicated a retrograde condition.

The decrease in the number of farms, Mr. Dillingham said, was due largely to the consolidation of small farms into larger ones. The decrease in the value he attributed to a falling-off in the value of farm produce.

Mr. Proctor reported the Agricultural Appropriation Bill, and gave notice that tomorrow he would ask to have it considered.

The following bills were passed:

Amending the land laws so as to permit settlers on the public lands to make transfers for public uses before completing title.

Amending existing laws so as to require captains of passenger vessels to supply information regarding the age and sex of immigrants in accordance with the requirements of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Establishing a light and fog signal station at Point Cabrillo, Cal.

At 4:35 o'clock p.m., the Senate went into executive session, and adjourned a few minutes later.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—House: The House today adopted the conference report on the Fortifications Bill, which was only a partial agreement, as the Senate amendment requiring detailed estimates was still in dispute. A further conference was ordered. The bill carries $6,747,693.

Consideration of the Postoffice Appropriation Bill was then resumed. After Mr. Goulden of New York had favored material increases in the salaries of letter carriers, postal affairs were for a time sidetracked, while Messrs. Shirley of Kentucky and Sibley of Pennsylvania spoke on the questions involved in freight-rate legislation.

In closing his remarks, Mr. Sibley, replying to a question by Mr. James of Kentucky, expressed it as his belief, that in the matter of legislation to restrict the carriers, the President was animated with a sincere desire for justice.

Mr. Baker of New York, discussing the rate question, attacked Secretary of the Navy Morton, who, he said, was a self-confessed violator of the law.

LAND OFFICE RECEIVER.

DANIELS WANTS A JOB.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hon. Milton J. Daniels, Representative from the Eighth California Congress District, is an open candidate for appointment as receiver of the land office at Los Angeles. Mr. Daniels, it will be recalled, did not make connections for reelection to Congress, and his term will expire March 4. Up to this time he has secured indorsements from all California Republicans in the House, but he has not yet got either Senator Perkins or Senator-elect Flint to recommend him, and it will be necessary, probably, for him to get both of these indorsements, inasmuch as Senator Hard is understood to be taking no hand in the matter. Mr. Daniels has asked both Perkins and Flint to recommend him. They will confer about the matter when Flint gets to Washington in March.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Postmaster at Carlsbad.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frank Knowles has been appointed fourth-class postmaster at Carlsbad, San Diego county, Cal., vice Charles Krentzkamp.

Weather Affecting Congressmen.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The long spell of zero weather that has hung over Washington has resulted in an unusually large amount of sickness among Senators and members. Some ten or fifteen members of the House are down with grip or threatened with pneumonia. Only one member of the California delegation has been obliged to take to his bed so far. He is Representative Knowland, who has a bad case of tonsilitis.

President's Nominations.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The President today sent to the Senate these nominations:

Consul-General — William Martin, New York, at Hankow, China.

Consuls—James C. Kellogg, Louisiana, at Baranquil, Colombia; Daniel S. Kidder, Florida, at Nankin, China.

Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Hawaii—Arthur A. Wilder of Hawaii.

Postmasters—Winslow L. Rideout, Lakeport, Cal.; George P. Marley, Sanger, Cal.; Hervey Friend, Hollywood.

Transfers Forest Reserves.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The President today signed a bill which immediately transfers the administration of the Federal forest reserves, including timber sales, applications for the free use of timber and permits for grazing live stock from the Department of the Interior to the Department of Agriculture.

Census on Cotton Ginned.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The census report for cotton ginned to January 16 in 659 counties shows 9,717,683 bales, counting half bales as round bales, compared with 7,168,281 bales in the same counties last year. The quantity ginned in these counties between December 13 and January 16 is 494,955 running bales.

Central Pacific Payment.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The books of the Treasury Department today show the payment by the Central Pacific Railroad Company of its twelfth note, aggregating $2,858,830, swelling the total receipts of the treasury for the day to the grand total of $4,895,177.

Those 640-Acre Homesteads.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The House Committee on Public Lands today authorized a favorable report on the bill to permit the taking-up of homesteads consisting of 640 acres, but amended it so as to apply only to Eastern Colorado.

Indefinitely Postponed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The House Committee on Judiciary voted to postpone indefinitely the further consideration of the bill prohibiting the use of injunctions and restraining orders in labor disputes.

Hawaiian Home Governments.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—A bill introduced today by Delegate Kalaniana-ole of Hawaii gives authority to any county, district or municipality in Hawaii to elect boards of supervisors or other boards of a public nature in accordance with laws that may be enacted by the Hawaiian Legislature, providing for the establishment of county, district or municipal government with the Territory.

Quarantine for Live Stock.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The House Committee on Agriculture today authorized a favorable report on a bill directing the Secretary of Agriculture to declare a quarantine in any State or Territory when he shall determine the fact that cattle or live stock are affected with contagious disease. The bill prohibits the transportation companies from transporting live stock from quarantined sections, except under specific regulations, to be provided by the Secretary. A penalty of a fine and imprisonment is provided.

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COLDEST WEATHER OF A TWELVEMONTH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago and the entire Northwest shivered, swore, stamped and slapped today in the coldest weather of a year. Ten-below-zero temperature made a sudden and widespread raid from its lair at Medicine Hat and the northwestern part of Canada, sweeping across the boundary line in an invasion which conquered the weather records in all directions.

It is expected that the cold weather will travel both south and east tomorrow, so that the frigidity will be almost national in scope. While the Chicago thermometers' mercury sank to 12 deg. below zero at midnight, Forecaster Cox spoke tonight of a possible 20 deg. below being recorded tomorrow.

While Chicago was thus almost cold enough to suit a Laplander, the temperature here was comparatively dulcet compared with the records elsewhere. At Redfield, S. D., for instance, the coldest United States point from which readings were received, the thermometer went to 45 deg. below. Another of the coldest places was Miles City, Mont., where a record of 38 below was attained.

Reports from the cattle lands of Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas indicated that stock suffered heavily, the bitter winds hunting out animals on the ranges and causing them to die by hundreds.

HOW KANSAS FIGHTS.

Appropriation of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars to Build State Oil Refinery and State Penitentiary is Recommended by Senate Committee.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Kansas will build a State oil refinery at Peru, Kan., in the heart of the oil district. It will also establish a new State penitentiary at the same place, to furnish convict labor for the enterprise. The Oil and Gas Committee of the State Senate decided tonight to favorably report a bill with such provisions to the Senate tomorrow.

The sentiment in the House is overwhelmingly in favor of the measure. It is an administration measure. An appropriation of $400,000 is made by the bill, half for building the penitentiary and refinery, and half for maintenance.

This is the outcome of the fight against the Standard Oil Company waged by the oil interests of Kansas. The refinery will be large enough to handle most of the Kansas output, and the refined product will be placed on the market at a price below that charged by the Standard Oil Company.

HOCH DER KISSER.

Three of the "Much-abused Man's" Wives Congratulate Each Other on Their Escape—Tale of a "Bavarian Count" and a Trunk.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Two indictments charging bigamy were voted against Johann Hoch by the grand jury today. Three of Hoch's supposed wives were witnesses before the grand jury. When at the Criminal Court building waiting to appear before the grand jury, the three women met each other for the first time. They shook hands, and congratulated each other over their escape from Hoch. The women are Mrs. Marie Emilie Fischer, Mrs. Anna Hendrickson and Mrs. Marie Goerk. Each was accompanied by marriage witnesses.

HOCH AS "SCHMITT."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Feb. 1.—It is thought here that Johann Schmitt, who resided in this city seven years ago, and Johann Hoch of Chicago are one and the same. Schmitt's career in Cincinnati lasted from the middle of the year 1896 through 1897, and in that time he married, four months after the death of her husband, Mrs. Henry Bartel. A few months after her death, which is said to have been mysterious, he married Mrs. Fred Doess, widow of a saloonkeeper. Mrs. Doess-Schmitt afterwards married again, and now lives in Hamilton, O., where she identified a photograph of Hoch as that of Schmitt.

NO ACCOUNT "COUNT."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Feb. 1.—It is believed here that Johann Hoch is the same man who married a Mrs. Hulda Nagel of St. Paul in May, 1902, under the name of Otto Von Kern, a Bavarian Count. Soon after the wedding the Count requested his wife to turn certain real estate into cash, and then, while the bride was down town shopping preparatory to a trip abroad, for which the "count" at the same time was supposed to be getting tickets, her trunk containing $3000 was broken into and robbed of its contents. The "count" then disappeared.

Mrs. Alma Beschorner, a sister of Mrs. Nagel, says she believes, from having seen Hoch's portrait in the papers, that he is the man who married her sister.

SNAKE FOR ACTRESS.

MUNICH, Feb. 1.—Fraulien Reubke of the court theater, who is playing the juvenile lead in Hauptmann's "Bergschmiede," found on her dressing table last evening a beautiful bonbon box, with a note requesting her to open the box before going on the stage. The actress was too much occupied to do so until before the last act, and when she did an adder darted out and fastened its fangs on her dress. Fraulien Reubke screamed and fell in a faint. The attendants killed the adder. After some delay the actress was able to finish the performance.

MATRIMONIAL MORSE HOME.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Charles W. Morse, who has long been the central figure in one of the most sensational matrimonial tangles of recent years, arrived here today on the steamer Deutschland fro ma prolonged stay in Europe. Mrs. Clemence Cowles-Dodge-Morse, his wife, did not accompany him. Morse said he had returned to answer any charges that may be made. There was no one from the District Attorney's office to meet Morse, and he was not served with papers of any kind.

OBITUARY.

Maj. Jose Ramon Pico.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Maj. José Ramon Pico, the head of one of the last of the old Spanish-American families, died at his home in Alameda today, after a long illness.

SIMMONS TOO OFFICIOUS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Arthur Simmons, who, for thirty-five years has stood between the President and the public, has lost his job at the White House. Every man calling on the Chief Executive since 1869 encountered the colored messenger guard at the President's door. He will be seen there no more, for he has been detailed for duty as a messenger in the Pension Office.

Simmons at one time was a most useful employé, but in late years many complaints have been made against his offensive treatment of visitors. His position brought him into contact with the leading men of the nation, but the association had a demoralizing effect on Simmons, who has acted as though people came to the White House to see him and not the President.

WILL BE WIFE TO YANKEE.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee's Daughter to Marry Lieut. Lewis Brown, Jr., Seventh Cavalry.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RICHMOND (Va.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The society event of the winter in Virginia will be the wedding this month at St. Paul's Church, Norfolk, of Anne Fitzhugh Lee, daughter of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee and a great niece of Gen. Robert E. Lee, the Confederate chieftain, to Lieutenant Lewis Brown, Jr., Seventh United States Cavalry, a native of Rhode Island. Bishop A. M. Randolph and Rev. Beverly D. Tucker will officiate.

Gen. Lee's daughter is the first of the name to form a Northern alliance. Her father today delivered a eulogy on the late President McKinley at Canton, O.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 1.—Interest in the land fraud cases was again raised to fever heat by the announcement that the Federal grand jury late today had indicted United States Senator John H. Mitchell on another charge of bribery, and had also indicted State Senator George C. Brownell, one of the foremost Republican politicians and lawyers in this State, on charges of subornation of perjury.

The indictment against Mitchell alleges that while a Senator from this State to the Federal Congress, he accepted on seven different occasions sums of money aggregating $4200 from a timber land dealer named Frederick R. Kribs, for services rendered, it is alleged, in inducing Binger Hermann, then Commissioner of the General Land Office at Washington, to expedite, make special and approve certain applications for public lands and recommend the issuing of patents to the lands.

The indictment against Senator Brownell charges that Brownell caused Fred Siever and John Howland to swear falsely that certain field notes in connection with the survey of public lands in Eastern Oregon were true.

STEADY DRIZZLE.

RAIN UP THE STATE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FRESNO, Feb. 1.—For twenty-four hours rain has been falling in a steady drizzle all over the valley. Reports from several points show that at least a quarter of an inch of rain has fallen. The measurement here shows 32 hundredths. The fall of snow in the mountains has been heavy.

FALL AT SAN JOSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 1.—For the twenty-four hours ending at 11:30 p.m., 1.57 inches of rain has fallen here, making a total of 12.07 for the season, as compared with 3.38 for the same time last season.

THOROUGH SOAKING.

STOCKTON, Feb. 1.—For eighteen hours, rain fell here today and during that time about one inch of moisture was received. Reports from the surrounding country are to the effect that the storm was general and in some sections as hibh as 1.50 inches were recorded. The ground has been given a thorough soaking and the crops could go for six weeks before needing any more.

PROSPEROUS PROSPECTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 1.—San Joaquin county has been getting a good wetting since early this morning. There has been a copious downpour of rain, and reports are to the effect that it is general throughout the county. The ground is in condition to absorb a great deal of moisture and benefits to farming interests are incalculable. Prospects for a prosperous season could hardly be better.

HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

MRS. SMITH'S FIERY END.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Zella Smith, wife of George W. Smith of Covington, a small mill town a few miles from here, committed suicide by tying a roll of cotton batting about her throat and saturating it and her clothing with coal oil. She then went into a small outhouse and set her garments afire. When she was discovered a few minutes later by a neighbor she was dead.

Mrs. Smith came to Covington a month ago from Iowa, for the purpose of marrying the man whom she deserted for death. She left a letter to her mother, in which she stated that she had deceived her husband and could no longer live with him.

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NOT FOR MINING PURPOSES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The Supreme Court decided today that a deed to agricultural lands does not, per se, include the right to use the property for mineral purposes.

The point was raised in a suit over mining claims in Amador county. The Central Eureka Mining Company was conducting operations under a mineral land patent, when a rival concern, on adjoining property, attempted to work the same ledge. An injunction was sought against the new arrivals. The amount involved amounts to about $100,000.

The Eureka company deeded some of its land to James and Eliza Toman for agricultural purposes. The latter immediately laid claim to all the land within their boundaries, clear to the center of the earth. The East Central Eureka Mining Company was formed to work such part of the old ledge as lay between the Toman's lateral boundaries.

The Supreme Court says the original concern has the right to work out its leads wherever they may run and that the Toman's may have the full enjoyment of their land for agricultural purposes alone.

TURKS' VICTIM SUICIDES.

END OF GAZARIAN AT FRESNO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With mind and body shattered from tortures imposed upon him while a prisoner of the Turks, in Harpoot prison, Agob Gazarian, one of the best educated and most prominent Armenians in the valley, blew the top of his head off with a charge of buckshot today. He tied one end of a string to a nail in a hitching post on his ranch near Churchville, and the other end to the trigger of the shotgun. He placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth and pulled the gun toward him.

Gazarian was a leader among his revolting countrymen in Armenia. He was taken to prison and there put to fiendish torture. His body had upon it dozens of scars of stripes and burning from hot irons. Almost a raving maniac, he was turned loose by the Turks.

His relatives brought him to Fresno, where he has lived ten years. His mind improved; he developed a keen business sense, and he died very wealthy. Strange hallucinations bewildered him at times. He thought he was Jesus Christ, sent to earth to free his countrymen.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twelve deg. below zero at midnight with indications that the mercury will fall to 20 deg. below before dawn, established a new record for cold this winter. Below zero weather all day tomorrow is predicted by Prof. Cox. The intense cold may last thirty-six hours. The maximum temperature for the day was 9 deg. above zero at noon. Middle West temperatures, maximum and minimum, the dash indicating temperatures below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	16	6
Bismarck	—18	—26
Cairo	22	20
Cheyenne	0	—6
Cincinnati	24	18
Cleveland	22	12
Concordia	4	—8
Davenport	6	—10
Denver	10	4
Des Moines	—6	—12
Detroit	18	16
Devil's Lake	—18	36
Dodge City	0	—2
Dubuque	2	—12
Duluth	—12	—24
Edmonton	—2	—28
Escanaba	6	—6
Grand Rapids	12	4
Green Bay	0	—8
Huron	—12	—28
Helena	—8	—18
Indianapolis	16	10
Kansas City	10	—4
Marquette	2	—6
Memphis	32	24
Milwaukee	4	—10
Minnedosa	—8	—30
North Platte	—4	—6
Omaha	—6	—14
Rapid City	—8	—22
St. Louis	18	10
St. Paul	—12	—22
Sault Ste. Marie	12	2
Springfield, Ill.	14	0
Springfield, Mo.	16	12
Wichita	12	—10
Williston	—20	—34

ARTIFICIAL LEG PULLER.

Begging for money with which to buy an artificial leg, finding her benefactors among the rich and prominent men and women to the city, such as Honore Palmer, Mrs. George M. Pullman, Mrs. P. D. Armour and others of equal prominence and indulging a fad for riding in cabs until huge bills are accumulated against her, appears to be the pleasant and lucrative occupation of Mrs. Minnie Campbell, whose record has been investigated by the Bureau of Charities.

UNIONS AGAINST DUDES.

"Beau Brummels" will not be tolerated in trade unionism, according to the edict of the International Union of Building Employés, which today revoked the charter of the Elevator Conductors and Starters' Union, on the ground that the organization had degenerated into a social club of "dudes and red necktie posers."

INSANE PATIENT IN SNOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Mary Berlinger, a patient at the Riverside Sanatorium, was missed this morning, and has not been heard from up to late tonight. The temperature has been about zero all day, and now is 15 deg. below. It is feared that the woman has succumbed to the cold in some out-of-the-way place. Even the attendants narrowly escaped freezing while prosecuting the search.

INDIANA'S GOVERNOR ILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. Hanly has been suffering with la grippe for several days. Tonight, his disease seems to be approaching pneumonia, and his friends are alarmed. He has a high fever.

"BUFFALO BILL" AGAIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NORTH PLATTE (Neb.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sensational charges against Col. William F. Cody are made in a deposition sworn to by Henry Blake, a former army trooper and friend of "Buffalo Bill" since 1868. The deposition is to be used by Mrs. Cody in her divorce suit. While Mrs. Cody took in sewing, Blake says, Col. Cody was carousing with men and women in resorts about different army posts and Indian reservations. It is reported that several residents of North Platte who made affidavits favorable to Col. Cody will be arrested for perjury.

WALTON-MARSHALL WEDDING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Walton, No. 4740 Drexel Boulevard, to Benjamin H. Marshall took place this evening, at the family residence. Following the ceremony, there was a reception to 500 guests at the Kenwood Club. The decorations, both at the home and at the club, were in pink and white, and were very elaborate. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will sail for Naples on the Deutschland from New York next Tuesday.

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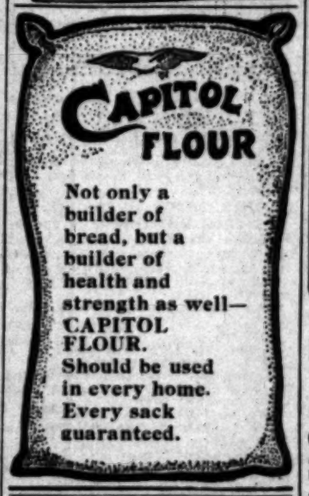

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IDEAL FRUIT SEASON.

ENOUGH MOISTURE THIS YEAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—Lieut.-Gov. Anderson, manager of the California Fruit Distributors, says the present season, up to this time, has been ideal from the standpoint of the fruit growers of the State. He declares that not in fifty years have conditions been so pleasing to horticulturists, that the only possible difficulty may be in a too early season and that danger from that source is an extremely remote one. Mr. Anderson says that it has been several years since the ground was saturated to any considerable depth, and that the steady and drizzling rains of this season have had a fine effect in this regard. All over the fruit growing area of California, including prunes and grapes, the soil is filled with moisture by the steady downpour, yet the rivers have been swollen very little, except near the head waters.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Transport Sherman Sails.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The United States army transport Sherman sailed today from Honolulu, Guam, Manila. She carried the officers and men of the Twenty-first Infantry, bound for the Philippines, and a full list of cabin passengers.

Looses Footing, Drowns.

EUREKA, Feb. 1.—While at work on a mill pond near the Eel River Valley Lumber Company's plant, at Newberg, thirty miles distant from Eureka, Andrew Hanson, in jumping from one log to another, lost his footing and was drowned.

Espee Must Pay Damage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The Southern Pacific Company must pay W. F. Smith $350 damages, according to a decision by the Supreme Court today. The plaintiff claimed some land of his in Summerland, Santa Barbara county, was injured because the corporation laid its tracks too close to the property.

Wells-Fargo Bank Cashier.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—F. L. Lipman, cashier of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Bank for some time past, has been made president of the institution in place of Homer S. King, who had entered upon his new duties as president of the Bank of California. Lipman's place as cashier has been given to F. B. King, a son of Homer S. King.

Weber Jury Concerned.

AUBURN, Feb. 1.—Judge Prewett who, this afternoon, received word from Juror Berry's physician that he would not be able to appear in court this week, will convene court in the morning to see if the attorneys on both sides in the Weber trial will agree to the drawing of another juror, obviating the necessity of securing a new jury.

NO PHILIPPINE TARIFF.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A member of the House Ways and Means Committee said today that he thought it quite possible that the committee would decide to report no Philippines tariff bill to the House at this session of Congress. There is a practical understanding that the committee has decided to give the Philippines bill imposing 50 per cent. of the Dingley rates, a hearing, but this member said that the committee has about become convinced that were such a bill to be put through the House now it could not get through the Senate before adjournment, and so the committee is upon the point of letting the whole matter go over until next session.

LIPTON'S YACHTING PLANS.

BOSTON (Mass.) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Glasgow, Scotland, special cable says that Sir Thomas Lipton is to build three yachts, all qualified for cup-racing, and pick one for the challenger. He has a new plan for racing dates, to catch Americans off their guard.

Motor Boat Carnival.

PALM BEACH (Fla.) Feb. 1.—The motorboat carnival opened here today. Results:

Endurance for all motor boats, trophy, the Breakers cup: Shaw, George E. Andrews owner, won; time 44:11.

One mile, for motor boats under 12 miles per hour, for Willoughby cup: Shadow won; time 5:28 3-5.

Eight miles, for motor boats, postponed.

High speed boats, four mile handicap, for Henry M. Flagler trophy: Challenger Proctor Smith, won; gross time 15:56 2-5; handicap 5:15; net finish 8:41 2-5.

Pleasure motor boats under 12 miles per hour, four miles for Automobile Magazine cup: Demorey, T. G. Ronald, won; time 19:58.

Motor boats, four-mile handicap, for Charles E. Bingham cup: Challenger won; gross time 24:59 1-5; handicap 13:00; time to finish 11:59 1-5.

Cabin motor boats, four miles, declared off.

Early Sunday "Liners."

The large volume of "Liners" now being regularly printed in the Sunday Times is taxing the mechanical capacity of the office, and it will be appreciated if real estate dealers will turn in Sunday copy as early as possible. Copy that can be turned in by Friday evening will be of material assistance. Our advertising solicitors will be pleased to call for copy if it is inconvenient to send or bring it to the office. Telephone Sunset Press One, Home The Times.

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SANTA FE DIRECTORS AND BOND ISSUE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The directors of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad met today and took further action on the proposed $50,000,000 bond issue. The terms at which the bonds will be offered to stockholders have not been disclosed, but will probably be announced a week from today, to which date the meeting adjourned. It is understood that the directors decided that only one-half of the authorized issue will be offered at this time.

Of the proposed $50,000,000 bond issue to be made by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railway Company, $2,000,000 will be offered to stockholders on the par basis of 15 per cent. of their holdings at present. The remaining $48,000,000 of bonds will be held in the company's treasury. J. P. Morgan and Company will manage the syndicate which will finance the issue. Kuhn, Loeb and Company will be among the heaviest purchasers.

THEATRICAL STOWAWAYS.

QUEER PRIVATE-CAR TRAFFIC.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—The Tribune today says that private and leased passenger cars in the future must be "all aboveboard." Otherwise the railways will not haul them. Notices to this effect have been sent by the various companies to their ticket agents, in accordance with instructions from the Western Passenger Association.

"Make no more contracts," the order sent by one of the companies read in substance, "to handle private or leased cars with sleeping accommodations below the floor."

The agent receiving the order explained the mystery.

"The theatrical companies are the offenders," he said. "They want to haul their members cheaply, and they have devised some wonderful contrivances to get round the regulations.

"You have noticed the chests under each for ice, food and equipment of various kinds. That is where the trouble comes in. Special cars have been built with unusually large compartments below the floor. Inspectors of the association found those roomy chests really were sleeping quarters for the 'supes' of the show company. One 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' combination has seven companies on the road, each company traveling in a private car. And each car carries six stowaways on the rods."

U. P. SUPERINTENDENT.

W. T. PARKS IS APPOINTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA, Feb. 1.—W. T. Parks has been appointed general superintendent of the Union Pacific Railroad, to succeed J. M. Fruber, who resigned some time ago to accept the superintendency of the Burlington lines east of the Mississippi River. Parks for many years has been connected with the Union Pacific, for the past few years being superintendent of the Wyoming division.

BLOW AT PRIVATE LINES.

BEEF-TRUST DECISION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The decision of the United States Supreme Court in the beef-trust injunction case struck another blow at the private car line octopus. This monopoly, which has only lately come into prominence through the agitation of railway evils, is being hotly pursued by the government, the shippers and the railroads alike. In view of this combined opposition, it is difficult to see how the private car lines are to escape extermination, although they are backed up by the powerful beef trust.

The permanent injunction forbids the beef trust to receive from any railroad or common carrier any rebate from the use of private car lines. The enforcement of this injunction will relieve the railroads from enormous levy at the hands of the owners of private car lines. If the President is successful in the campaign that he is waging before Congress, backed up b ythe United States Interstate Commerce Commission, the shippers of dairy products, fruits and meats in the great Northwest, and the Western and Central States will be able to secure freight accommodations for their commodities at rates that will not squeeze out of them practically the last cent of profit.

The railroads of the country have joined in attacking the private car line monopoly, and will gladly accept any measure that proposes to cripple their rival. The President favors some measure that will place the operation of private car lines under the control of the government.

TRIUMPH OF JAP MEDICOS.

Only Forty Deaths from Disease in Oku's Army Since May 6.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GEN. OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, Jan. 29, Noon, via Tientsin, Feb. 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Japanese field surgeons and field hospitals have accomplished a triumph, according to statistics obtained by the correspondent of the Associated Press from the chief surgeon of Gen. Oku's army.

There have been in the entire army since the landing, May 6, only forty deaths from disease. The figures show that up to December 1 there were treated 24,642 cases of disease. Of these, forty resulted fatally, 18,578 patients recovered, 5609 were sent to Japan, and the remainder were undergoing treatment when the figures were compiled. It is believed that these figures are unequalled in the history of warfare.

There were only 193 cases of typhoid and 442 of dysentery while of beri-beri there were 5070. The other cases of disease were not serious.

The casualties in Gen. Oku's army from May 6 to December 19 are as follows:

Killed—Officers, 210; men, 4917.

Wounded—Officers, 743; men, 20,337.

Missing—Officers, 4; men, 402.

Sixteen per cent. of the wounded died, 19 per cent. recovered in the field and 65 per cent. were sent to Japan.

Eighty-five per cent. of the wounds were inflicted by rifle shots, 8 per cent. by artillery and 7 per cent. by cold steel.

The largest percentage of recoveries was in the cases of chest wounds. Most of the recoveries were due to the small caliber of the rifle bullets.

The percentages of the other Japanese armies are believed to be about the same.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES

At Jefferson City, Mo., Niedringhaus lost two more votes yesterday and the bolters now number 16.

Oswald Ahenbah, the well-known painter, died at Dusseldorf yesterday afternoon of inflammation of the lungs.

At Bizerta, Tunis, a violent storm has caused damage to the amount of $40,000. No persons were injured.

The remaining twenty-five members of the crew of the British steamer Alba, from Newport News, January 11, for Amsterdam, which is ashore at Zandvoort, Holland, were landed yesterday.

At Philadelphia, Col. Peter Penn Gaskill Hall, a retired officer of the Russian army and a descendant of William Penn, died yesterday of paralysis, aged 75 years.

A call designating Sunday, February 4, as a day of fasting and prayer for Christians of America has been distributed among nearly all the Protestant churches of New York City.

The election resulted from the thirteenth ballot taken at Jefferson City, Mo., yesterday for United States Senator. The vote stood: Cockrell, 78; Niedringhaus, 72; Kerns, 12; Pettijohn, 2; Solon T. Gilmore of Kansas City, 1; G. A. Finkelenberg of St. Louis, 1.

The strike in the Silecian coal district is spreading. At the Koenigen Luise mine, 2287 out of 3000 miners in the morning shift have struck.

An analysis made at the Paris municipal laboratory has disclosed the fact that the bomb found Tuesday night in front of the Hotel Des Deux Mondes, on the Avenue de l'Opera, was not dangerous. It contained chiefly coal dust.

It is officially announced that the Turkish forces have routed the rebels investing Sanaa and Hodeida Yemen province, Arabia, and have relieved the besieged garrson of Sanaa, the capital of Yemen.

The declaration of Thomas K. Niedringhaus, Republican caucus nominee for United States Senator from Missouri, that under no circumstances would he consent to withdraw from the Senatorial contest, even though an important embassy were offered him by the President, has served to strengthen the opinion that no Senator will be elected at this session of the Legislature, at Jefferson City.

Emperor Francis Joseph received Premier Tisza in audience in Vienna yesterday. The latter handed the Emperor the resignation of the Hungarian Cabinet. The Emperor has summoned Count Julius Andrassy, one of the foremost opposition leaders, to Vienna.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the English actress, who has been a patient at the University Hospital, Philadelphia, since the night of January 2, when she injured her knee cap by slipping on the step of her carriage, has left the hospital. The wound is said to have nearly healed.

A French officer of the Eleventh Battalion of the Alpine Chasseurs, Dubois, has just made a new record on skis, or Scandinavian snowshoes. He descended from the hospice on Mount St. Bernard to Bourg Saint Maurice, a distance of 14.283 miles, in 25 minutes.

A Budapest dispatch says complete returns from the recent elections show that the Kossuthists head the polls, with 159 members of the new Parliament. The Liberals have 151 members; the Dissident Liberals, 27; People's Party, 24; Banffyites, 13; Independent, 10; and Nationalists, 9. Second ballots will be necessary in fourteen constituencies.

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More Interesting Testimony in Bribery Case.

Senators' Counsel Fails to Rattle the Detectives.

Pioneers Want Statues of Lick and Sutter.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—This afternoon District Attorney Seymour completed the drafting of one complaint against Joseph S. Jordan, charging him with the crime of lobbying. It is understood that four other complaints will be filed.

Jordan, who is accused of having passed the money to the four Senators accused of being bribed, was compelled to spend the night in jail despite the efforts of his friends to secure his release on bail.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—Jordan was released tonight on $9000 bail. Before securing his release, two complaints of bribery were filed against him, in addition to the accusation of lobbying.

Justice Clarken, before whom the complaints were drawn, fixed the bail for each complaint at $3000 and bonds for this amount were furnished by Frank E. Wright and William Hanlon. Jordan, who still steadfastly refuses to make a statement, has retained C. T. Jones of San Francisco as his attorney.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—At 2:20 o'clock this afternoon, the inquiry into the bribery charges against the four Senators was reopened in the Senate chamber.

Gavin McNab, who first addressed the court of inquiry, stated that he had a conference with the accused Senators, and on their behalf asked that the rule allowing but one of their counsel to conduct the questioning be reversed. This was granted, on motion of Senator Simpson of the Committee of Inquiry.

McNab was then cross-examined by Attorney Thomas V. Cator of the defense.

"What was your motive in trapping the Senators?" asked Cator.

"Just the same incentive you would have in catching the incendiary who would make an attempt to burn your home," answered McNab.

In answer to a series of questions, McNab stated that an auditing company had been employed by outsiders to inspect the books of the Continental company, and had found them to be sound.

"Why was it, then, that you did not court an investigation by the Senate committee, instead of resorting to the bribery scheme?"

"Because we wanted to trap the bribemailers," answered McNab.

"How did you know that you might not be involved as a bribe giver?"

"I did not think of the consequences," said McNab. "I looked at it in this way: If I could capture four highwaymen I was going to do it without fear of results to myself."

"Were you acquainted with the accused Senators prior to the reported bribery?"

"Not that I know of," said McNab.

McNab then volunteered: "I was suspicious of Senator Emmons on account of a bitter controversy and lawsuit that he had with the Continental."

"What led you to assert that the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform had been packed?" asked Cator.

"Because I had seen a statement that had come from the committee," said McNab.

"The title of the committee was innocent enough, but I believe that the Lieutenant-Governor was made an innocent victim when he appointed he members that compose the committee."

"What led you into this bribery scheme," again asked Catoor.

"Merely to assist in trapping dishonest men who had made overtures involving blackmail."

"How was it you moved with such celerity in this matter?"

"I always form my conclusions and carry out my actions rapidly."

"Who was it suggested the employment of Moses Heinz and George N. Tichnor in the detective work to trap Jordan and the Senators?"

"I did."

"What instructions were given to Tichnor when he left San Francisco?"

M'NAB'S INSTRUCTIONS.

"My instructions were to identify the Senators with the acceptance of the money," said McNab.

"I was positive in my instructions that Joseph Jordan was not to be made the only person held responsible. If this had not been done, Jordan might have posed as a bunco artist."

Chairman Belshaw suggested that Attorney Cator was wasting the time of the committee by not confining himself strictly to cross-examination. Cator replied that he had already been criticised for not probing deeply enough into examination of the prosecution's witnesses.

"As long as you had not known the Senators personally, and had no proof that they were dishonest, why did you fear to be brought before the committee?" asked Cator in one of his concluding questions.

"I know that reports would be given out that would have been inimical to my company. I am not denying that human nature may have entered into this, and that this may have moved me to bring about this series of events."

"What conversation did you have with William Corbin in regard to this committee?"

"We had agreed that it was a very sad committee," answered the witness. "He told me that he had been informed by a man that some of the members of the committee were not good men."

"Were there many people in the rotunda of the Mills building when you gave the nod for the passing over of the money?"

"No, not many."

"Who will lose this money?"

"Clarence Grange and George Perrine."

"Will the Continental association reimburse them?"

"No, it will not."

"Have you any personal knowledge that the money was passed to the Senators?"

"None, except what was told me by two witnesses—Messrs. Tichnor and Hartling."

"Who drew the affidavit against the Senators?" asked Senator Ralston of McNab.

"It was gotten up in my office and dictated in parts by myself, Frank D. Nicol and William Corbin."

This concluded the examination of Gavin McNab.

JORDAN'S LANDLORD NEXT.

Miss Margaret Erhart, at whose home, No. 1116 Seventh street, Joseph Jordan had a room, was called as the next witness.

She recounted the calls made by George Tichnor, who asked for Jordan.

"On January 24, Mr. Tichnor called in the afternoon," said Miss Erhart. "The first time he left, but came again in fifteen minutes and I ushered him into Mr. Jordan's room, on the directions that had been made by Mr. Jordan."

Henry Hartling, who was associated in detective work with Tichnor was next called to the stand. He said that he had come to Sacramento January 23, arriving here at 10:35 o'clock in the evening. He waited for Tichnor until the next morning at a hotel. In telling his story, Hartling said:

"Tichnor said that he was up a stump—that he had been given the wrong number of Jordan's home. Tichnor first went to Jordan's room, but when he found he was not there he left. He went to Jordan's room a second time and went inside. I waited for them in a stable opposite the house. "I saw them leave the house together fifteen minutes later. Tichnor showed me a key to Jordan's room, and he went in the house a second time. They again left the house together, Jordan having told Tichnor that he was to find the Senators.

"I followed the men, according to Tichnor's directions and saw Jordan go to a hotel at 5 o'clock.

"Tichnor informed me that there was a hitch in the proceedings and that he would have to telephone for further instructions," continued Hartling. "I was shown the marked bills that were to be given Jordan and the Senators. A little after 6 o'clock, Jordan and Tichnor again went to the former's room. When they left they separated.

"Jordan then went into a saloon at Eighth and K streets. Jordan came out of the saloon with Senator Emmons. They went diagonally across the street and met several people. Then they walked along with Senator Welch. When Welch left them Jordan put his hand in his right hand pocket and gave Emmons the bills. They separated after a handshake and Jordan rejoined Tichnor."

"What was your relative position to Emmons and Jordan when the money was passed?" asked Chairman Ralston.

"I was at the same side of the street, 30 or 40 feet away. Tichnor was on the other side of the street."

PASSED BILLS TO BUNKERS.

"Jordan next met Senator Bunkers and walked around the corner of Eighth and K streets, a few feet. Bunkers had his back toward the street and Jordan had his back toward the building. Then Jordan reached into his inside coat pocket and passed the bills out to Bunkers, who put them in his inside coat pocket.

"Mr. Jordan then joined Mr. Tichnor, I followed, and shortly Jordan left Mr. Tichnor near Golden Eagle Hotel. I rejoined Tichnor and he said he was going to find the other two Senators—French and Wright."

Ralston asked if the witness knew Bunkers.

"Yes sir," said Hartling.

"What time of day was the money passed to him?"

"A few minutes after it was given to Emmons."

Gould then asked: "Did you see Jordan later that day?"

The witness resumed: "Jordan met Tichnor and said they would be around soon. He had a conversation then with Jordan and said there was to be a committee meeting at No. 817 Tenth street, and that they were to be there at 7:45. We were to go there.

"We were on time. The first person I saw go in was Senator Emmons. The others I could not identify. We waited there until 8:15. I then saw Mr. Tichnor talking to Jordan. Jordan then went into the house and Tichnor told me French was to come out first and be paid and then Wright. We then separated and soon Jordan came out.

"Tichnor then said we would see them at the Golden Eagle Hotel at 10 o'clock. At the appointed time we were there. We waited until after 11 o'clock. Then Jordan came and talked with Tichnor. They walked down to the corner of Sixth and K streets. I was right behind them. They stopped and Tichnor handed Jordan the bills.

"Mr. Tichnor then joined me. He said he had to get Jordan another $100. He also said Jordan had said he had paid Senators French and Wright shortly after 10 o'clock. Mr. Tichnor then went to the depot and soon returned with a bill of which I took the number. We then went to the Golden Eagle, arriving there at 12 o'clock. Jordan came and I saw Tichnor give him a bill. Jordan and Tichnor then went over to a saloon. They came out after awhile and separated."

CATOR CROSS-EXAMINES.

Attorney Cator then began to cross-examine the witness. He attempted to impeach the testimony of the witness regarding the payment of the money to Bunkers. He questioned the time, but Hartling was not confused.

"Were the lights lighted when the transaction occurred?" asked Cator.

"Yes, sir," the witness replied.

"Did you look at your watch when Emmons and Jordan came out of the saloon?" was asked Witness Hartling.

"Yes, I did."

"Why did you?"

"That is what I was there for."

Cator tried to break down the testimony regarding the time Jordan and Emmons left the saloon, but Hartling stood by his statement that it was 8:20 o'clock.

The cross-examination was long and tedious, as Cator asked many questions regarding the time the witness said he saw the money paid to Emmons. The testimony of the witness was not shaken.

"Who employed you?" Cator asked.

"Mr. Tichnor."

"What were you told?"

The witness explained that he went to the office of the Continental Building and Loan Association and there met Tichnor. They went to the ferry, but the witness was not told what the mission was until the two had gone on the boat. Tichnor then said he wanted Hartling to witness the payment of the money to the Senators, naming them. Nothing more was said about the transaction until Tichnor and Hartling arrived at Sacramento. Under cross-examination, the witness then repeated many of the details he had given upon direct examination. In answer to a question, Hartling said:

"I, of course, tried as far as possible to keep out of Jordan's sight during the passing of the money, but yet I took positions so that I could plainly see what he was doing. Once Emmons and Jordan came directly toward me, and, knowing that Emmons might recognize me, I stepped behind a [illegible] and they passed without observing me."

DRAWS CHART OF ROUTE.

Witness Hartling was called on to draw a chart of the route taken by Jordan and the Senators who are accused of taking bribes.

"Have you ever been engaged in a transaction like this where you saw paper money passed?" was asked the witness.

"No."

"Are you familiar with paper money?"

"Yes."

Hartling was asked to tell of his work as a detective. He stated that he had been in Bakersfield for some time, where he had formed the acquaintance of Senator Emmons, who was District Attorney there.

"Was the accusation made at one time that you were engaged in a blackmailing scheme against Judge Ham of Napa?"

"Yes; but the allegation was entirely false, and I defy anyone to prove that I was in a blackmailing scheme."

Hartling further stated that he had been engaged to assist in hunting down the murderers of "Little Pete," a Chinese.

"Are you to be paid for your services in this case?"

"I am."

"Did not Bert Schlessinger accuse you of not telling the truth in a certain case?"

"Yes," answered Hartling. "That is what you will probably say when you are through with me." (Laughter.)

"Did you and Tichnor talk over the difficulties of securing evidence that would be satisfactory?"

"Yes; Tichnor said it would be impossible for me to get into a secret position in Jordan's room."

"Have you seen Jordan since he passed the money?"

"Yes; last night."

"Have you known Senator Bunkers before?"

"Yes; I have seen him about San Francisco?"

"How was it that you could see Jordan pass the money to Emmons and Bunkers if his back was toward you each time?" asked Attorney Frank Gould of the prosecution.

"I was standing in a slanting position. I could see the passage of the money," answered Hartling.

"Was Tichnor pleased with the method used by Jordan in passing the money?"

"No; he was not greatly pleased, but it looked to me as though Jordan passed the money so that he could let somebody witness the trick."

"What hand did Emmons take the money with?"

"I don't know."

"He might have taken it with both hands," interposed McNab.

"What hand did Bunkers take the money with?"

"With his right hand; he had his left hand in his pocket."

At 5:30 o'clock an adjournment was taken until 8 o'clock.

NIGHT SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—When the Bribery Investigation Committee convened at 8 o'clock tonight, Gavin McNab asked permission to withdraw from the Corbin affidavit that portion which intimated that the Examiner had been instrumental in naming the Committee on Commissions and Retrenchments, as it cast a reflection on Lieut.-Gov. Alden Anderson, who named the committee. McNab was asked to place his request in writing.

Moses Heinz was the first witness called.

"Are you the man who received a package of paper money from a gentleman in the rotunda of the Mills Building at a time when I was present?" asked McNab of the witness.

"Yes."

"What did you do with the money?"

"I took it to Fremont Older, who exchanged a similar amount of paper money with me."

William N. Russell told of having brought a package of money to Sacramento, and having delivered it to Tichnor. The package, which contained $100 in bills, he had received from a man in the Mills Building rotunda.

William Corbin, secretary of the Continental Building and Loan Association was the next witness. His story was as follows:

"The first I knew of an attempt to inquire into the Continental association was when a stranger called at my office and stated the facts to me. I then telegraphed to Tichnor to come to the office. Arrangements were then made for Tichnor to go to Sacramento under the name of William Newell. He was to call on a man, who then went under the name of Frank S. Jordan. Tichnor was given the package of money and he was told to take somebody with him.

"I told Tichnor that four Senators who controlled the Committee on Commissions and Retrenchments had formed a plan to blackmail building associations that would not pay tribute. I instructed him to meet Mr. Jordan and have him arrange for the payment of the money to the Senators. Finally, I got a telephone message from Tichnor, who stated that Jordan wanted $100 more, making $250 in all. The additional sum was sent to Sacramento by Mr. Russell. When Tichnor telephoned me again he told me that it would be impossible for him to deliver the money to the Senators personally. Then it was that I advised my agent to do the best he could, but that he must secure absolute evidence against Senators ready to receive the money."

As Corbin concluded this statement, Attorney Cator said that a member of the counsel for the defense, who was present, at the opening, had asked that the cross-examination of Corbin be postponed for a day until he could be present. Attorney McNab declared that Corbin was ill and urged that his examination be concluded.

Chairman Belshaw suggested that the cross-examination be proceeded with, and that Attorney Copeland, member of the counsel for the defense referred to, might conduct his cross-examination on some future day.

CORBIN CROSS-EXAMINED.

Attorney Cator then took up the cross-examination of Corbin.

"Have you made an effort to learn the identity of the man who first called at your office with alleged information regarding the Senate committee?"

"No, I have not."

"Why did you mention the persecution of Dr. Dodge in your affidavit?"

"Because it was a fact. Now, in order to get to the foundation of this, I'll have to go back. Last fall the San Francisco Examiner gave considerable space to the fact that we had foreclosed on a man who had not kept up with his payments. It was mentioned by the paper that Dr. Dodge and Gavin McNab were connected with the Continental association."

"Now, how about the alleged persecution of yourself?"

"That was evident on the face of the articles that appeared in the paper."

"Did you not believe that if you could get the Senators to accept a bribe it would be an effective way of striking at the Examiner,"

"No."

"Did you have a personal acquaintance with any of the members of the committee?"

"Yes, one; Senator Bauer. He is not one of the accused Senators."

"Why did you object to an examination of your company by the committee?"

"I believed that if our vaults had been piled up with $20 gold pieces the four accused members of the committee would have declared we had nothing in the treasury."

"Do you mean that?"

"I do. It was common talk on the streets of San Francisco that the four accused members were out for boodle."

"Was that your frame of mind when you arranged that money should be given to be brought here?"

"Yes, it was."

"Did you care whether the money reached the Senators if you could get evidence which would besmirch their characters?"

"I don't believe that is a fair question. The money was sent out for the purpose of testing the suspected men."

"Have you had any prior experience in affairs like this?"

"No, I have not."

"Did this money which was alleged to have been given to the Senators come from the Continental association?" was asked Corbin.

"No, it did not."

LOANED MONEY TO EMMONS.

Corbin corrected the statement that he knew no member of the committee except Bauer. He admitted he knew Emmons. The witness then recited the trouble his company had with Emmons. He had loaned money to the Senator to build a house in Bakersfield.

"We sent Mrs. Emmons a check to build the house, but the money was improperly used by the contractor," said Corbin.

"When the house was half finished we forwarded more money to complete the building, but sued for the title to the property. Emmons declared that he or his wife had never received the money, but Mrs. Emmons admitted on the stand that she had."

Attorney Alexander, for the defense, then took the witness.

Corbin stated in answer to Alexander's questioning that all of the Senators with the exception of Emmons had agreed to receive the money directly.

"Mr. Corbin, it was at my suggestion that you assisted at the trapping of these Senators, was it not?" asked McNab.

"Entirely so," answered the witness.

"Did you and McNab consult with each other and decide that it was the proper step to have Jordan arrested for the purpose of strengthening your case," asked Attorney Cator.

"No."

George N. Tichnor was called to the stand for the purpose of cross-examination. Attorney Cator requested that the examination be postponed, as he did not have the necessary data on account of the absence of Attorney Copeland. It was announced Copeland would be ready to proceed tomorrow.

In making a plea for postponement, Attorney Alexander said: "We have been aided in no way in securing data for the defense by the accused Senators. That work is now in the hands of others, who are necessarily absent."

Alexander added that witnesses were to be brought from Los Angeles and Bakersfield.

Senator Simpson of the Committee of Inquiry moved that the cross-examination be proceeded with.

WITTY TICHNOR.

Chairman Belshaw said it was the agreement of the committee that if Attorney Cator wished to cross-examine tonight he might do so, and that Attorney Copeland could conduct his questioning later.

Attorney Cator then began his cross-examination of Tichnor. The witness kept the large audience that filled the Senate chamber in a roar of laughter on account of his witty replies. He stood in answer to extensive queries that he had been a merchant, railroad conductor and a detective.

When Tichnor was asked how he was engaged at a time when he was employed by a detective agency at Bakersfield, he refused to answer. Attorney Cator called for a ruling from the committee. Senator Simpson of the committee of inquiry, who is an attorney, advised that the witness be not required to answer. This advice was embodied in a ruling by the committee.

Cator then asked: "Did you know Emmons while you were employed as a detective in Bakersfield?"

Tichnor refused to answer, and Senator Sumpson suggested that there was nothing objectionable to the question and that it should be answered.

Attorney McNab objected to the answering of the question. The witness finally answered that he did know Emmons while engaged in Bakersfield, and that the latter was indirectly employed by him.

"How is it that you did not outline the scheme to entrap the Senator instead of taking instructions from Mr. Corbin?"

"Because operatives generally follow out the instructions of clients."

Tichnor reiterated his former statement that up to the time he had seen Jordan he had expected to deliver the money to the Senators personally.

"If I could have concealed Mr. Hartling in Jordan's room that he might witness the payment of the money, I would have done so," said Tichnor in answer to a question. "When I was told to do the best I could I decided to let Jordan pass the money to the Senators in a manner that I might see the transaction."

"What was your position when you saw Emmons take the money from Jordan?" asked Cator.

"I was across the street."

"Did you see your partner, Hartling, at this time?"

"I was mostly interested in Jordan. I let Hartling attend to his own part of the case."

INTERESTED IN JORDAN.

"I was mostly interested in Jordan. I let Hartling attend to his own part of the case. At the time the money was passed Emmons stood in front of a cigar store on K street, near Eighth street."

"Did you attempt to conceal yourself?"

"No, sir."

"Could they have seen you?"

"Yes; if they had looked."

"Did Jordan or Emmons look around to see if anybody was watching as the money was passed?"

"No, sir."

"What kind of coat did Emmons have on?"

"A light coat."

"Which hand did Emmons take the money with?"

"I don't know."

Tichnor could not tell into which pocket Emmons placed the money alleged to have been taken, although it was late enough in the evening to have the street lamps lighted. The witness said he could see the paper money as it was passed.

Tichnor then illustrated how the notes were rolled when Jordan is said to have placed them in his pocket.

"Are you willing to swear, with the knowledge that that may deprive these Senators of their liberty, that what Jordan handed Emmons or Bunkers was money?"

"To the best of my knowledge it was the same bills that I gave Jordan."

"When Jordan handed the money to Bunkers he took it from an inside coat pocket; I believe on the right side," continued witness Tichnor. "To the best of my knowledge and belief, it was the same roll of bills that I had given Jordan."

Tichnor added that Bunkers smiled as he took the money. He could not tell into which pocket Bunkers placed the money he is said to have taken.

"When Jordan told you that he had given French and Wright the money, did you take him to task for not carrying out the transaction so that you could see the passing of the money?"

"No, I did not. It was then too late to make any complaint."

"Did you have any conference with reference to having Joseph Jordan arrested?"

"Yes, in Gavin McNab's office in San Francisco, with District Attorney Seymour of Sacramento. The District Attorney said he believed it was time he was taking a hand in the matter, and he regretted that I had not informed him before."

"Did you know that the money you turned over to Jordan was to be used as a bribe?"

"Yes."

"Do you not know that that action was a felony?"

"Yes, but I knew that I was to come before this Senate and tell what I had done."

"Have you heard of the recovery of any of the bills that are supposed to have been passed to the Senators?" asked Senator Ralston.

"I have heard a report to that effect, but I have seen none of the bills since they left my hands," answered Tichnor.

After additional cross-examination by the attorneys for the defense, the witness was excused and the investigation concluded for the night. An adjournment was then taken until 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

The grand jury of Sacramento county is to take up an investigation of the legislative scandal, and numerous witnesses who are supposed to know about the alleged passing of money are to be subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury.

WANT STATUES OF PIONEERS IN CAPITAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A petition from the Society of California Pioneers, asking that James Lick and John A. Sutter have statues erected to their memory in the national statuary hall at Washington, was presented in the Assembly today. The document sets forth the fact that those two pioneers of California had received the largest number of votes in the balloting for this honor among members of the pioneer society. The Legislature is petitioned to make an appropriation adequate to have statues of the two distinguished pioneers made in bronze or marble. Speaker Prescott presented the petition and it was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported that they had completed their tour of inspection of the State institutions and asked that they be allowed $1670 for contingent expenses and mileage. The expense bill was referred to the committee on Contingent Expenses.

Estudillo's bill providing for the recession of Yosemite Park to the Federal government, which was to have been a special order of business for today, was postponed until tomorrow and made a special order of business again. It will now appear simultaneously in both chambers of the Legislature, as Senator Belshaw, who introduced the same bill in the upper house, has announced the battle over final passage will begin on the same day as appointed in the Assembly.

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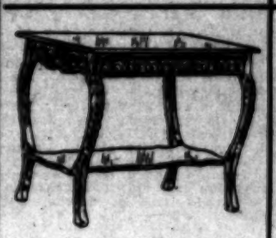

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AFTER THEATRICAL MANAGERS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Several members of the Association of Theatrical Managers, which controls forty-seven places of amusement in this city, have been served with subpoenas commanding their attendance at the District Attorney's office, where they will be examined as witnesses in "John Doe" proceedings, the stated object of which is to ascertain if any of them have been guilty of criminal conspiracy. The hearing grows out of an embargo alleged to have been placed on a dramatic critic employed by a weekly paper.

COMPANIES FORMED IN JANUARY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Figures of new companies formed in the Eastern States in January, with a capital of $1,000,000 or more, reached a total of $1,16,250,000. This is an increase over the December figures, which aggregated $107,300,000, and also over January figures of last year, which were only $59,508,200. Maine heads the list with a total capitalization of $42,500,000, followed by New Jersey, with $29,000,000.

TWENTY PERSONS HURT IN FOG.

FORT WORTH Tex.) Feb. 1.—Twenty persons were injured, two seriously, in a collision in a fog between a freight train on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad, and a street car at the stock yards crossing in the northern limits of this city today. About forty-five persons were in the car at the time of the accident.

NEW CROTON DAM.

Largest Piece of Masonry in the World, Except Pyramids of Egypt, Completed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—After ten years of labor and the expenditure of $2,000,000, the new Croton dam, near Croton-on-Hudson in Westchester county, from which this city will draw largely for water supply, has been practically completed. It is the largest piece of masonry in the world, except the pyramids of Egype.

The flood gates have been shut down for the first time and the dam has begun filling with water. It is estimated that it will require about two years for the dam to fill. When the water reaches the base of its coping it will make a lake sixteen miles long. For the first year New York's principal supply of water will come from the overflow of the old Croton dam. The latter will then be flooded, and the water will rise thirty feet above it. The new dam will hold 30,000,000,000 gallons.

The closing of the immense gates and flooding of the sites of a half dozen abandoned towns in the northern part of Westchester county attracted many people desiring to witness the beginning of the innundation which is to change the map of the surrounding

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS (Huan Mountain) Feb. 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The five days' combat which will go down in history as the battle of the Hun River, was fought out on a seemingly unending plain, which is broken only by southern amethyst mountains around Yentai, the solitary eminence of which is the Liao Yang tower of bloody memory.

The bright glare of the sun reflected from a dazzling expanse of snow was painful to the eyes, and it was with difficulty that one could follow here and there black streaks marking the Russian columns, or wavering skirmish lines dashing against what resembled dull gray rocks, but which in reality were the villages of Lidiatiun and Tanipu and the extensive hamlet of Sandepas, bastioned by Chinese defenses and converted by the Japanese into veritable fortresses.

Exposed to the intense cold of a Manchurian winter, mounds of earth had become like granite, and as impenetrable as the steel sides of a modern battleship. For five days, Russian soldiers hurled themselves against the defenses, and the field artillery pounded them until the frosty air reverberated with the thunder of cannon, the din of bursting shells and the rattle of musketry, but neither steel-pointed shell nor nickel bullets availed against the frozen earthworks.

The gunners actually wept with despair at the impotency of the attack. Mortar batteries came up at a gallop, in the hope of demolishing the fortifications. Night and day the stream of shells were poured against the earthworks, but it had very little effect.

Men seemed indifferent to hunger and cold, which latter was of Arctic intensity. Their fingers, hands and feet were benumbed, while stinging snow and dust blinded them. The slightest wound caused excruciating pain. Warm blood no sooner exuded from lacerated flesh than it began to freeze. The wounded could not be left exposed, and if they did not receive attention within an hour they died. The surgeons, their assistants and nurses were almost powerless in the bandaging of wounds, for they were obliged to wear leather gloves or mittens in order to resist the cold.

The men seemed to be living again the horrors of the winter campaign of 1812 against the Turks. Everything that could be done was done, but man was powerless in the face of nature, and the Japanese, who heaped tortures upon the troops and defeated the well-thought-out plan of the commander.

The five days' battle on the Hun River has yielded no palpable result, both sides practically maintaining their former positions, though it is true that at a heavy cost the Russians succeeded in driving the Japanese out of the advanced positions and repelling their flanking column. The Russian cavalry proved extremely efficient.

There is again a lull in the conflict, and it is expected military operations will be suspended until the end of February.

BOMBARDMENT CONTINUES.

SHELLS SET SANDEPAS AFIRE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Gen. Kouropatkin, telegraphing under date of January 30, says Sandepas was on that date set on fire by the Russian artillery. In a telegram dated January 31, the commander-in-chief reports a continuance of a successful bombardment of Sandepas and says that Russian ballooning had noticed that a portion of the Japanese garrison had been withdrawn during the day.

RUSSIAN ATTACKS FAIL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 1, Noon.—Field Marshal Oyama, reporting yesterday, says the Russians bombarded his center and right wing, January 30, and sent small bodies of infantry to attack the Japanese outposts, which were repulsed.

The same day, heavy Russian guns fiercely shelled Piyental and Chenchiehpao.

January 31, the Russians bombarded Chenchiehpao, Lapati and Litajentan, and two companies of infantry attacked Chenchiehpao, advancing from the south end, near Peitaltzu. The Japanese repulsed them.

January 30, two companies of Russian infantry unsuccessfully attacked Yatsupao, two miles northwest of Chenchiehpao, and two battalions of Russian infantry and a regiment of cavalry failed in an attack on Tutaltzu.

RUSSIANS IN OLD POSITIONS.

SITUATION NO LESS OMINOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MUKDEN, Jan. 31, via Tien-Tsin, Feb. 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Cannonading on the center and right commenced again today. The Russian army has reoccupied its old positions, having returned from Sanchiapu (Sandepas.)

A large part of the wounded are being cared for at Mukden, where the hospitals and trains are filled and the Red Cross corps is active.

The situation, as it further develops, is better realized and understood, though it is not less ominous, as the weather has moderated and the Japanese are aggressive.

The commander-in-chief's orders to abandon the advance are reported to state two reasons for stopping the advance: First, the losses sustained; second, the failure of a quick attack upon which the advance depended.

Notwithstanding the order to cease, a tenacious conflict continues in the vicinity of Sandepas.

MERELY A DEMONSTRATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TSINKHETCHEN, Jan. 30, [Delayed.]—The Japanese advance against the Russian left turns out to have been merely a demonstration. The Japanese fell back as soon as the Russians brought up reinforcements. The ground covered with snow, a battle, when fought, would be over a great plain where the south sun can be of no advantage to either side.

BUSINESS CLEARING-HOUSE.

The Times is printing more classified "Liner" advertising than any other three papers in Los Angeles, and double the quantity of any other Pacific Coast paper. While the uniform rate of one cent per word is higher than the rate charged by competitors, results from The Times "Liners" are guaranteed to exceed by many times the returns from similar announcements in other Los Angeles papers. The reason for this is that the men and women of the whole Southwest who "do things" watch The Times' "Liners" every day for business announcements covering every variety of human activity. The Times' "Liner" department is in very truth the business clearing-house of the Southwest.

TOLSTOI COMMENTS ON RECENT OUTBREAK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A dispatch from Moscow says Count Tolstoi has made the following comment on the recent outbreaks in Russia, meager reports of which have reached the aged writer at his home in the country:

"Neither the working classes nor the intelligent classes of Russians are true exponents of the real desires and needs of the people.

"The programme which they submit to the government is not the programme of the people. These elementary measures which they demand of the government—such as freedom of speech and freedom of conscience, etc. —though essentially conditions for a life of culture, do not touch the problem of the crying needs of the people, which lies solely in the nationalization and communism of the land.

"On this point, neither the workingmen nor the educated classes raise the cry, nor do we hear any such cry from the peoples of other lands, despite the apparent freedom of the so-called independent press, but its independence is only apparent.

"The only possibility of a change in the general policy of civilization lies in a perfecting the individual morally and religiously. Then, through the development of the individual, through inoculation of real respect for others, through hatred of force, cruelty and injustice will disappear."

SEEMS LIKE FAIRY TALE.

CZAR GRANTS CONSTITUTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Telegraph sends the following remarkable statement:

"In a few days, we shall witness a political transformation scene as thoroughly amazing as anything modern pantomime or fairy tale can offer. Captives who languish in cells in fortresses will be released tomorrow and their misdemeanors will be forgiven. The press will be allowed to speak freely. Later, Trepoff will be sent to Manchuria, and in ten days a brand new representative chamber will be created under the magic wand of Witte, and a new era of prosperity will begin for the Russian people."

He relates the scene that occurred when Yermoloff, Minister of Agriculture, had an audience with the Czar. Yermoloff told the Czar the present system of government had outlived its usefulness. He declared it would be impossible henceforth to carry on the business of the empire without the assistance of the Russian people. The Czar reprimanded him and then lost self-control and recovered normal serenity only after a long interval.

Yermoloff retired to an ante-room, but eventually the Czar recalled him and listened to him while he developed his scheme for the pacification of the country. Finally, he commanded the Minister to draft a ukase.

After an hour and a half, the Minister came back with a constitution in his hand. This he read aloud to the Czar. He asked no questions, and when Yermoloff had finished, signed the document, closing the period of Czardom and marking a new epoch for the country.

VIOLENCE AT TIFLIS.

WARLIKE PEOPLE IN REVOLT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ODESSA, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Strike violence is reported from Tiflis. This news is entitled to serious attention, because it concerns warlike people who are armed. However, the leaders of the general movement in Trans-Caucasia will probably succeed in preventing mere local collisions. Outrages are likely to occur in Don province if the Cossacks should be guilty of more wanton brutality. The wives and children of Cossacks guilty of massacres in St. Petersburg and Moscow live there undefended.

The workers are beginning to say: "If the Cossacqs continue to shoot our wives and children, we will revenge ourselves on theirs."

It is not suggested reprisals will be exacted in case of the families of privates, but that vengeance will certainly be wreaked on those of the officers, many of whom delight to exceed instructions and ride down, flog and slay people.

The workers, who are deeply aroused, have sent an arraignment of the Cossacks to St. Petersburg, pointing out many instances of seemingly deliberate attacks on women and children during street riots.

MORE RUSSIANS WHO SAW TORPEDO BOATS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 1.—[Atlantic Cable.] The North Sea Commission continued its session today. Lieut. Ellis of the Russian battleship Alexander III gave circumstantial evidence of seeing a torpedo boat among the British trawlers in the North Sea. He said he first saw a torpedo boat two miles off steaming suspiciously toward the squadron, on a course to intercept the flagship. As the torpedo boat advanced searchlights made her plainly visible and a heavy cannonade was opened on her. The torpedo boat, the witness continued, was evidently damaged and drew off to starboard and disappeared.

Lieut. Schremtchencko, torpedo officer of the Russian battleship Borodino, gave similar testimony to seeing two torpedo boats. He said:

"One was on the port side and was fifteen cable lengths away. I could not have been mistaken, being a torpedo officer. I distinguished its long, rakish form. My long familiarity with torpedo boats made me take a careful look at the attacking craft. It was painted a dark color, had two smokestacks and was of the general type of torpedo boats usually attached to squadrons."

The lieutenant also described the torpedo boat which he had seen to starboard. She was about the same size and general appearance as the boat first seen. Both torpedo boats withdrew under a terrific fire.

only fighting of any consequence occurred at Chonhai Pass, at 3 o'clock the morning of January 29. Two Japanese battalions, tried to capture the village of Tiagai. A bayonet encounter ensued and the Japanese were driven on.

MASSING ON OKU'S LEFT.

RUSSIANS' MOVEMENTS FUTILE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

GEN. OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, Jan. 27, noon, via Tien-tsin, Feb. 1.—[Delayed in Transmission. Asiatic Cable.] After three months' inaction, there is now a prospect that the armies of Gen. Kouropatkin and Field Marshal Oyama will soon join in what will likely prove the greatest battle of the war. For some days past, the Russians have been quietly massing troops on Gen. Oku's left, evidently preparatory to an attempt at a turning movement.

For three days past, a heavy artillery fire has been kept up by the Russians on Gen. Oku's left, running toward the center. The Japanese have not replied to the cannonade, awaiting an attack by the Russians, who have been heavily reinforced. It is believed now that they have numerous divisions along the Shakhe River.

The Japanese force has also been increased, and everything now seems ready for the greatest conflict yet recorded in the history of the present war.

The move on the part of the Russians seems to indicate a desire to strike soon, in a desperate attempt to avenge the fall of Port Arthur.

Probably the revolutionary outbreak in Russia has determined Gen. Kouropatkin to make a desperate effort to gain a victory before the outbreak in Russia becomes known to the army.

The utter failure of the recent cavalry raid by the Russians on the railroad shows the futility of further attempts of the kind. With the ground so solidly frozen, troops on the advance would have great difficulty in entrenching to secure the slightest cover. The advantage of the situation would be entirely on the side of the army on the defensive.

With the thermometer at zero, and

MIKADO THANKS TROOPS

FOR DEFEATING RUSSIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 1.—[Asiatic Cable.] The Emperor has issued a rescript to Field Marshal Oyama's army, thanking the troops for defeating a superior Russian force in the recent battle. Oyama, responding, says the men fought desperately day and night in intensely cold weather.

Field Marshal Oyama, in reporting the wounding of Lieut.-Gen. Mistchenko, which he has learned of from Russian prisoners, characterizes Gen. Mistchenko's attacks upon the Japanese flank as brave.

Togo Returns to Flagship Soon.

TOKIO, Feb. 1.—Admiral Togo will return to his flagship February 6. The immediate naval plans are not disclosed.

Japs Capture Blockade Runner.

TOKIO, Feb. 1.—The Austrian steamer Eram, bound for Vladivostok from Cardiff, with coal, was seized off Hokkaido Island yesterday.

AT THE HOTELS.

ARRIVALS YESTERDAY.

ANGELUS—Harry Leiberman, Miss Adele Leiberman, Memphis, Tenn.; A. Wilcox, New York; Charles Griggs, Milton, Mass.; N. S. Vinson, San Francisco; C. C. Chappells, V. B. Chappelle, Chicago; Oscar T. Weber, C. F. Fleming and child, Albert R. Herman, W. H. Betts, J. Lafayette, W. Rampton, San Francisco; S. A. Spring, Pocatello, Idaho; James Westwater and wife, Columbus, O.; H. H. Wentzer, St. Louis, Mo.; H. Alfrey, Indianapolis, Ind.

WESTMINSTER—Miss Belle S. Angier, San Francisco; John Studholme, New Zealand; W. A. Cunningham, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. George Theis, Jr., Ashland, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bullard, St. Paul; Mrs. F. J. Moore, F. J. Wainwright, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. John Lonergan and child, Mr. and Mrs. A. Heman, St. Louis; James Ferguson, Springfield, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haas, Chicago; Mrs. Onita M. Browne, New York; J. L. Sperry, Connecticut; J. E. Menter, Laurence, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Karns, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. J. F. Gagen and children, Mrs. Charles A. Muller, Lafayette, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McElliott, Chicago; Frank E. Robertson, Spokane, Wash.; L. S. Shomurer, New York; Bronson Rumsey, Mrs. Rumsey, Buffal, N. Y.; Dr. M. L. Keller, Philadelphia; J. F. Tyrrell, Chicago; G. W. Bishop, San Francisco.

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WE FILL MAIL ORDERS

Side Talks By the Office Boy.

"There is so much bad in the best of us, and so much good in the worst of us that it hardly behooves any of us to talk about the rest of us." I heard a man say the other day that "half the people in the world were working the other half for chumps, and making it pay." That sure don't apply to this store, it doesn't make any difference whether you've traded here for years or just struck town the day you came in the store, the price is the same. We don't play any favorites. Every article is marked in plain figures at the very smallest possible price. You've got to trade at some store, and why go up against a bunch of disagreeable clerks, when you can come here and be treated like a king? Don't it make you tired when you have a fellow wait on you and feel all the time like telling him to look pleasant, that you won't hurt him?

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Women's $3.00 Oxfords $1.98
Women's oxfords, made from bright patent kid, fine glace kid and tan Russian calf; hand turned and hand welted soles; lace, three button and Blucher styles; very newest lasts; a fair assortment of sizes, but an exceptionally strong line in the smaller sizes; actual $3.00 values. Today, the pair, $1.98.

Women's $2.50 Dress Slippers $1.39
Women's fancy dress slippers, of bright patent kid, fine glace kid and black undressed kid or suede; made in twin, three and four-strap effects; some ornamented with beads, others with cut steel ornaments; strictly hand made; all the season's newest and prettiest effects; Cuban, spike and French heels; good assortment of sizes; $2.50 values. Today, the pair, $1.39.

Boys' Bike Shoes $1.50 Values 98c
Boys' bicycle shoes, made from kangaroo calf; unlined; corrugated leather soles laced to the toes; sizes 1 to 5½; $1.50 values. Today, the pair, 98c.

Men's $3.00 Shoes $1.98
WITH WELTED SOLES
Men's shoes made of vici kid, box calf or bright patent leather; both lace and Blucher styles; genuine Goodyear welted oak soles; comfortable, stylish lasts; various weights and kinds suitable for all sorts of wear; plenty of sizes. Excellent $3.00 values. Today, the pair, $1.98.

$1.75 School Shoes $1.19
Boys' and girls' school shoes of vici kid and box calf; good solid oak tan shoes; neat, serviceable shoes for boys and girls, in all sizes from children's No. 9 up to boys' No. 5½; good $1.75 values. Today, the pair, $1.19.

12½c Percale 10c Yard
Sea Island percales, 36 inches wide; pretty light grounds; very desirable patterns; mill remnants of from 3 to 10 yards; perfect in every respect; just the same goods that you pay 12½c for off the piece. Today, the yard, 10c.

New Wash Goods 15c
Pretty new wash goods in mohair effect; new colors; plaids, stripes and conventional designs; these have the appearance of all wool suitings that sell at $1.00 a yard. Sale price, the yard, 15c.

25c Cotton Cashmere 15c
New fancy figured cotton cashmere, both dark and light grounds with small figures, checks and stripes; new spring goods actually worth 25c. Today, the yard, 15c.

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New wash fabrics, linen colored grounds with nubs and stripes of various colors; soft finish; a decidedly attractive member of the spring wash goods family. Today, the yard, 15c.

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Women's drawers of fine quality nainsook; wide ruffles; trimmed with insertion and Point de Paris lace; 98c values. Today, the pair 49c
Women's cambric petticoats, cut extra wide; all lengths; finished with dust ruffle and wide flounce; trimmed with several rows of wide lace insertion; clusters of hemstitched tucks and wide lace edges; several styles to choose from; values up to $2.48; Today, each $1.25
Women's flannelette gowns, plain colors and fancy stripes; double yoke trimmed with torchon lace and fancy braid; all sizes; regular $1.35 value. Today, each 98c

$1.25 Knee Pants 48c
An odd lot of boy's knee pants made from high grade serge and corduroys; fair assortment of sizes; mostly from 4 to 12; values up to $1.25. Today, while they last, the pair, 48c.

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Boys' blouse waists, made from ginghams and percales; neat patterns; ages 4 to 14 years; excellent 50c values. Today, each, 39c.
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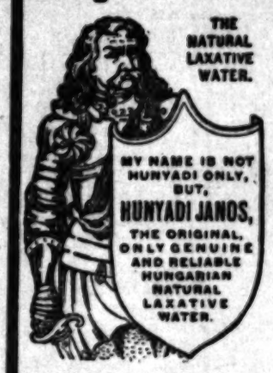

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CRUSADE ON VILE "VAGS."

Score of Men and Women Taken in Dragnet.

Creatures Supported by Mistresses are Arrested.

Many Found "Hitting Pipe" in an Opium Joint.

Acting under the direct orders of Chief Hammel, the detective force last night began a crusade against creatures who live off the earnings of fallen women and spend what they can get from their mistresses in opium joints.

As a result of an hour's work, twenty men and two women were placed in the City Jail and today they will be presented in the Police Court as vagrants.

The officers first raided the notorious opium joint kept by Lottie Lane, on New High street, at the intersection of Marchessault. There they captured nine men, all of whom were "hitting the pipe." The paraphernalia of the place was seized. It consisted of a sufficient number of opium pipes to fill two grain sacks.

At various cheap lodging-houses, on North Main street and elsewhere, the detectives arrested every known "mac" they could find.

The reason for the raid, which is but the beginning of a general crusade, is that the officers believe much of the crime which has been committed in this city recently was the work of members of this class of cheap crooks, who refuse to work under any other circumstances than when they are on the chain gang.

PASSES, LEAVING MILLIONS.

ONE OF WHITTIER'S FOUNDERS DIES IN DETROIT.

Death of Simon J. Murphy, President of Oil Company Bearing His Name, Which Concern is the Biggest Operator in the Whittier Field. Saved the Town With Water.

WHITTIER, Feb. 1.—Simon J. Murphy, multi-millionaire, oil operator and manufacturer, and one of the founders and chief promoters of this city, died in Detroit this afternoon, aged 80. Death was due to old age.

To the efforts of Mr. Murphy is very largely credited the fact that Whittier became a town. In the early days of the settlement when the water obtained from the hills was slight there seemed to be no show for much increase in population because of the lack of water supply.

Then Mr. Murphy came to the relief of the embryo city and developed a water system which it is declared accomplished the saving of the town. It was at a later and less critical period a water plant was acquired by the municipality.

Mr. Murphy was president of the Murphy Oil Company, the largest concern operating in the Whittier field. He had extensive holdings in East Whittier, all of which property he owned in the earlier days.

He was somewhat rough of exterior, but there are many who bear witness to his kindly disposition. He was never idle.

There are various manufacturing enterprises in the East in which Mr. Murphy was interested. Among them is an automobile-making establishment.

His start, financially speaking, was as a dealer in lumber back in Michigan.

It is about two years since Mr. Murphy was in Whittier. About a year ago his wife died and the loneliness is thought to have weighed heavily on him. He had several children, all or nearly all of whom are living in or about Detroit.

YERXA-ST. JOHNS.

Miss Pearl St. Johns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. St. Johns of Hotel Whittier, today became the bride of Ernest Lee Yerxa of Minneapolis, Minn. The ceremony uniting the young people was performed by Rev. Will A. Betts, pastor of First Methodist Church, in the presence of the immediate family. The house was decorated with white carnations and smilax, and the bride, an unusually pretty and winsome girl, wore a tailor-made traveling suit of brown. Mr. Yerxa and his bride left immediately after the ceremony for a trip through the Eastern States after which they will be at home in Minneapolis. Miss St. Johns has been an exceedingly popular girl here, and, since the knowledge of her approaching wedding reached her friends, has been the recipient of much social attention. Monday afternoon she was the guest of honor at a jolly "bundle shower" at the home of Mrs. D. B. Schenck, on West Bailey street. The hostesses were Mrs. Schenck and Misses Mathews and Parker, and whist furnished the amusement of the afternoon. About twenty-five of the girl friends of the bride were the guests.

HERE AND THERE.

The Woman's Club of this city held an interesting meeting at Whittier College this afternoon, the literature section, under the direction of Mrs. J. M. King, presenting a programme entitled "Southern Breezes." Current events were under the direction of Mrs. W. V. Coffin and Miss Lida Howard, and Mmes. Clayton and Little were hostesses.

A mass meeting was held here last night, under the auspices of the Board of Trade, to consider the sites offered by C. W. Harvey for the Carnegie library which is soon to be built here. The speakers presented many arguments for the Harvey site and on a vote those present declared themselves in favor of it.

The place is on the north side of Greenleaf avenue, only two blocks from the business center. It consists of two lots at the corner of Hadley and Greenleaf, and with the gift of these lots is a proviso that, should the $10,000 donation promised by Carnegie be increased to $20,000, a third lot will be given for the library.

With the coming of frequent rains a large acreage of barley has been planted in this section—the largest, it is said, in years. Much of this is now about six inches high.

The Woman's Club of this city has decided to observe Arbor Day on March 17.

The meetings at the Methodist Church still continue, the number of converts now reaching nearly two hundred.

The dog poisoner has been at work here again. Bose, the pet dog of E. S. Cobb, being the latest victim.

ROBBED IN LODGING.

Mexican Ranchman Set Upon by a Stranger and Relieved of All the Money He Possessed.

Miguel Montoya, a Mexican whose home is near Placentia, a short distance from Anaheim, will have reason to remember his visit to Los Angeles yesterday. Last night in a lodging-house the location of which he does not know, he was attacked by a man who spoke his language, seized by the throat, and while the robber held a huge knife over him, robbed of $250—the savings of more than a year.

Montoya cannot speak English, and when he arrived in Los Angeles yesterday he asked a hackman to take him to a Mexican lodging-house, but there he was unable to secure a room. He went to another house and was going to bed, when the man from whom he had rented his room entered the place and robbed him, then kicked him out of the place, compelling him to leave his coat and vest there.

Patrolmen McGraw and Craig found him on the street with a stranger and through an interpreter he told his story. Both men were taken to the detectives' office where the Mexican's companion was closely questioned, but finally released. The Mexican stated that he would know the place if he saw it by daylight. He was detained and an investigation will be made today.

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SAN DIEGO.

TORRANCE INQUIRY AT HAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The committee of the Assembly to investigate Judge Torrance is expected here tomorrow evening. A report from Sacramento says the committee has decided to make a thorough investigation if it has to examine every witness in the city. The report also says that the San Diego delegation in the Legislature is dissatisfied with the action of the San Diego Bar Association in straddling the fence on the Torrance matter, saying that the bar association should have washed him clean or asked for impeachment. There is much interest in the question of who will be summoned to testify. It is presumed that the hearing of evidence will be in executive session.

CONSOLIDATION OPPOSED.

Unexpected opposition has developed in the scheme for consolidation of National City and Chula Vista into one municipality. At last night's meeting at National the result was seventeen against consolidation and thirteen in favor. Chula Vista has endorsed the proposition and National's trustees say they will be able to get the necessary 15 per cent. of voters for submitting the matter to the voters.

AFTER STAPLES.

An officer from Amador county is expected here today enroute to Ensenada, Lower California, to bring back Dr. F. N. Staples and Mrs. Maude Hoxie, under arrest below the border and accused of the murder of the Mrs. Staples at Amador City last August, and for whom the Governor yesterday issued a requisition. The couple were arrested by the American consul thirty miles from Ensenada.

CAMPBELL GUILTY.

After many specialists had been called upon to testify in the effort to stave off the penalty for crime by the establishment of a plea of insanity, Isaac N. Campbell, colored, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. His wife was the victim. The jury fixed the penalty at life imprisonment.

CORONADO BEACH.

HOTEL OPENS KINDERGARTEN.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. 1.—The management of the hotel has opened a kindergarten for the benefit of the guests of the hotel who have children and to parents of the cottage community who desire to give their children the benefits of a private education. The school, which is said to be the only one of the kind on the Coast, is in operation in Palm Cottage, No. 901 Tent City. Miss Anna Logan Jenkins, a daughter of Rev. Dr. Jenkins, a Presbyterian minister in Iowa, a graduate of the Indianapolis kindergarten School, has charge.

Mrs. Goodrich, wife of Admiral Goodrich, in command of the Pacific Squadron, accompanied by the Misses Goodrich, her daughter and niece, are here waiting the coming of the squadron. Mrs. Goodrich has advices from her husband that the fleet will probably arrive tomorrow instead of Friday, as has been reported.

The midweek dances at the hotel have been resumed, the first of the winter having been held last night.

Hugo Johnstone entertained several man friends with a trip to Coronado Islands yesterday in the launch Dora.

Rev. Richard Hayward, formerly rector of the Episcopal Church of Lawrence Park, New York, is at the hotel accompanied by his wife and daughter.

Yesterdays arrivals included Mrs. J. I. Sabin, Miss C. Perkins, San Francisco; Henry C. Brummell, Chicago; W. K. Nash, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. Allen Healy and wife, Pottstown, Pa.; A. C. Stewart, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Barie, Saginaw, Mich.; C. A. Gilbert, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cameron, Jamestown, N. Y.; Mrs. W. E. Hearst, Peoria, Ill.; Miss M. E. Armstrong, James F. Armstrong, William Stewart, Pittsburgh; J. W. Finger, St. Louis; L. F. Phillips and wife, K. N. Sweet and wife, Phoenix; Mrs. C. B. Quackenbush, Miss J. E. Baldwin, Patterson, N. Y.; H. A. Mosher and wife, Niles, Cal.

SANTA BARBARA.

STRONG AGAINST BURKE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 1.—A strong prosecution has been established in the preliminary trial of ex-County Tax Collector Edmund M. Burke in Justice Wheaton's court, Burke being charged with embezzling $1700 of the county's money. The evidence thus far given in the trial tends to show that Burke received a number of checks from taxpayers as their assessments, and that he deposited these to his private account at the First National Bank.

Two witnesses from Los Angeles identified checks issued by them in payment for taxes for $255 and $184, which were made payable to Burke. Reuben Hart, of Santa Maria, identified a check for $239, which he had sent to Burke to pay taxes. Tax receipts for these amounts were also displayed in court. It is alleged that he appropriated this money for his own purposes, which evidence was corroborated by H. P. Lincoln of the First National Bank, who testified in regard to Burke's bank account, and the cashing of checks at the bank.

The trial is still held behind closed doors—and the people still wonder why.

FOREST RESERVE CHANGES.

During the last few days there have been rumors afloat in this city of impending changes in the management of the Santa Barbara forest reserve. Louis A. Barrett, a special agent of the United States Bureau of Forestry, has arrived in the city and has taken charge of the reserve. Mr. Barrett states that the Santa Barbara forest reserve has been transferred from the supervision of the Department of the Interior, and the General Land Office to the Department of Agriculture, and will be directly under the management of the Forestry Commission. He hints that there will be some important changes in the local management of the reserves.

Early Sunday "Liners."

The large volume of "Liners" now being regularly printed in the Sunday Times is taxing the mechanical capacity of the office, and it will be appreciated if real estate dealers will turn in Sunday copy as early as possible. Copy that can be turned in by Friday evening will be of material assistance. Our advertising solicitors will be pleased to call for copy if it is inconvenient to send or bring it to the office. Telephone Sunset Press One, Home The Times.

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VENTURA COUNTY.

CAPT. BROWNE LAID AWAY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Feb. 1.—The funeral of the late Capt. A. W. Browne was held yesterday and was largely attended by people from all parts of this and adjoining counties. Business generally was suspended during the progress of the procession through the streets. The funeral was under the auspices of the Elks. The cortege proceeded from the undertaking parlors on Main street, where the body has laid in state since death. It was headed by the Santa Barbara Marine Band, followed by the members of Co. H, of which Browne was captain; following Co. H came the Ventura County Pioneer Society, then members of the A.O.U.W., the Elks, of which there was a large turn-out, bringing up the rear with the hearse containing the remains.

The pall-bearers were P. Charlebois, Frank Barnard, W. L. Jewett, E. M. Wagner, Will Hobson, Thomas Rice, W. F. Snyder, E. P. Carr, James Donlon and Charles Wason. After the lodges came a long procession of vehicles, largely country people.

At the Episcopal Church the funeral services were held. After the beautiful Episcopal service the simple ritual of the order of Elks was conducted. The eulogy was delivered by Senator Orr, who paid fitting tribute to the life and memory of Capt. Browne.

IN FEW LINES.

Prof. Charles B. Wing of Stanford arrived this morning and on the first train thereafter left for Palo Alto with the remains of his wife, who died yesterday at the depot after her arrival from the Ojai, where she had gone for her health. Mrs. Wing left a widower and four children, the youngest aged 8 years.

Mrs. Candaleria Ortego, long a resident of this city, died yesterday at the age of 75 years.

James Willoughby has been taken to the Bard Hospital for treatment. He was paralyzed as the result of injuries received while diving in the river. He has suffered many months, but can now use his hands pretty freely, but is helpless in his lower limbs.

Montalvo school district is rapidly springing to the front, furnishing the champion basket-ball teams of the county, both boys and girls. The two teams went to Santa Paula yesterday, and the two teams of the school there fell before the lusty bean-eaters of the lower valley. In the great scrimmage the celebrated giant basket-ball team of the oil city went down to defeat before the smaller players. The Montalvo boys are the champions of the county.

The Ventura Whist Club has finished its individual whist tournament, which has been on weekly for two months. Sixteen players were entered. Dr. H. M. Staire carried off the honors, and is entitled to the championship cup.

The Mound Water Company, engaged in developing water for irrigating, did not find the amount expected in the first well sunk. The company acquired the Alvord well in its holdings. This is 400 feet deep, and flows a fine stream of 125 inches. Four hundred feet from this the company sunk its first well, and though down 560 feet, but a slight flow was struck. The well will be sunk deeper until a good flow of water is found, as there is a reasonable certainty of plenty of good water in the location selected.

POMONA.

LENGTHY LIQUOR TRIAL.

POMONA, Feb. 1.—The trial of James Root, accused of selling liquor at El Monte in violation of the county ordinance, occupied all of yesterday in Justice Barnes's court and is still on today.

"Resolved, that Football is Detrimental to the Best Interests of the Players," is the subject upon which the senior and junior classes of the Pomona High School will debate Friday evening at the High School Auditorium.

Miss Bessie Fredenhall and Myron Adams, representing the juniors, will defend the negative side of the question and Misses Fern Edwards and Krystina Krysto, representing the seniors, will support the negative.

O. B. Manville, recent purchaser of Hotel Palomares, expects to take possession of the establishment the 10th inst.

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MORE THAN AN INCH OF RAIN TO GOOD.

UP TO 3 o'clock this morning The Times' rain gauge showed a fall of 1.15 inches as a result of last night's storm—and it was still "pouring down."

That makes the total precipitation for the season 7.28 inches. Last season at this date .57 of an inch had fallen.

Reports received by The Times at 2:30 o'clock this morning from Riverside, Santa Ana, Santa Barbara and other Southern California cities showed heavy rain falling all along the line, with precipitation in some greater than in Los Angeles.

At Riverside there had been a constant rain since 10 o'clock, and nothing less than a deluge from midnight up to 2:30.

In the other cities mentioned, a steady downpour all night was reported.

At Pomona there was a rattling rain, that never ceased for a moment from 8:15 o'clock until the latest reports came in. The rain there was the heaviest this season.

The streets of Los Angeles were like swift rivers in many places from midnight on.

Coming steadily and heavily last night the rain flooded the streets and did some damage here and there, while out in the country it was soaking the ranches and assuring crops.

San Diego last night reported light rain which began falling early in the evening and later developed into a heavy downpour, which promised to continue all night.

From reports received at Pacific Electric headquarters the rainfall was heaviest in the section south of the city traversed by the company's lines. The Long Beach roadbed below Compton was flooded, but no washouts occurred and no serious damage was done. Beach travel was reduced to the minimum, but the various trolley lines doing business between the towns of Los Angeles county suffered no further losses.

TO AID COLONISTS FROM SCANDINAVIA.

AND now comes another society for the aid of colonists and immigrants arriving from the countries of Northern Europe to make their homes in hospitable Southern California. The Scandinavians have banded to help their brethren just arriving.

A meeting of the leading Swedes, Norwegians and Danes of this city was held on Tuesday night at the parsonage of the Swedish Lutheran Church, at Seventeenth and Hope streets, and preliminary steps were taken for the organization of a society with the purposes outlined above.

There was much enthusiasm, and it was decided that the new organization should not only tender its services to the aid of the newcomers from Sweden, Norway or Denmark, but reach out and become a sort of mutual-benefit association for the Scandinavians now resident in Los Angeles and vicinity.

There is to be a sick-benefit fund, and a funeral fund for the aid of members; and it is hoped that the financial interests will so develop that a well-equipped hospital can be opened especially for the people of these nationalities.

While this is not a church affair, strictly speaking, yet it is receiving the warm support of the pastors of the various Swedish congregations and of many of the leading members. The Swedish Lutheran, Swedish Methodists, Baptists and Mission Friends have all designated their intention to cooperate with the plans of the society.

There are now over 2000 Scandinavians in the city, and this number is being rapidly increased by additions from the Eastern States and from the old country. These people make desirable citizens, and it is the intention of the promoters of the new movement to aid them in getting situations as soon as they arrive, and eventually to secure homes of their own.

Another meeting of the Scandinavians will be held in the Swedish Lutheran Church next Tuesday evening, when the organization of the society will be completed.

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Broadway's Newest Office Building.

MERCHANTS TRUST BUILDING.

This up to date, modern office building combines the very latest features in office buildings and is thoroughly fire-proofed.

The rooms throughout connect direct with the open air and have abundance of light and ventilation. All offices are provided with hot and cold water and electric light. The walls dividing the rooms and corridors are thoroughly fire and sound proof and are constructed of 4 inch terra cotta tile, this being the first building of this character in the city where the dividing partitions are constructed of terra cotta. The floors are of concrete, being what is known as the Clinton System of fire-proofing.

All structural iron throughout is fire-proofed with concrete; the roof is also of concrete. The rooms all communicate one with the other, making it possible for one tenant to occupy a number of rooms and at the same time give access to the corridors from each room.

Provision is made for desk light; and also for both the Home and Sunset

The Merchants Trust Co. Building.

telephones in each room. The building will be equipped with the Otis Electric Elevators, which will give first-class service, and combines all the latest improvements for safety and service.

The stairways throughout the building are of iron and marble. The front portion of the first story will be occupied by the Merchants Trust Company's offices and the rear portion of the ground floor by eleven offices, all connecting with the main corridor directly from the main entrance, and are thoroughly lighted and ventilated.

The basement is specially designed for office purposes or cafe. The upper floors contain twenty-six offices on each floor.

The building throughout is finished in oak. The main frame of the building is of steel of the Standard Skeleton Type construction, and the entire building is up to date and a first class office building.

JOHN PARKINSON,
Supervising Architect.

THE MERCHANTS TRUST COMPANY.

A Live Institution—It Seeks to be a Business Convenience.

The Merchants Trust Company which has just moved into its new Counting Room in its own building is one of the progressive institutions of Los Angeles. The steady expansion of its business since its organization necessitating more commodious and convenient quarters resulted in the purchase by the Trust Company of the old "Y.M.C.A." property on Broadway near Second and the erection of the bank and office building which now occupies the ground. The advent of the Merchants Trust Company marks a new era in the financial development of Los Angeles. The Trust Company idea has had a consistent and steady growth throughout the country during the last twenty-five years and Trust Company methods have proved so adequate to meet the demands of modern conditions, that their popularity and range of usefulness has constantly increased.

The Merchants Trust Company, modeled upon the well-tried pattern of Eastern Trust Companies, seeks to be a business convenience. It executes for its patrons scientifically, accurately and systematically almost every class of transaction which has to do with money or property. Wherever it becomes necessary for one person to repose trust in another for the purpose of consummating a business transaction, the Trust Company is available, offering trained and expert service coupled with absolute responsibility.

The business of the Merchants Trust Company is handled by three departments—Banking, Trust and Bond Departments.

In the Banking Department four classes of deposits are received:

Ordinary checking deposits.

Term deposits for six months or more bearing interest at 4 per cent.

Ordinary deposits of savings, and

Special deposits, payable on ten days demand which draw interest at the rate of 3 per cent. These latter special 3 per cent. deposits are designed for the convenience of persons having idle money which they expect to be called upon to use at any time, or which they expect to invest when a favorable opportunity presents itself.

In the Trust Department the Trust Company acts as the confidential business agent of persons requiring its services. It acts as executor of wills and administrator of estates; as the guardian of the estates of minors, incompetents and insane persons; as receiver and trustee in bankruptcy; as trustee for corporations and private individuals; it manages sinking funds and endowments; takes title to property and pays the income as directed; collects and disburses incomes; acts as escrow holder and manages and cares for real property. In fact, becomes the trusted and confidential agent for the transaction of business that requires accuracy, discretion and reliability.

In the Bond Department the Trust Company buys, sells and markets government, State, county, municipal, school and corporate bonds and standard securities. It maintains for the use of its patrons and its own information, a Department of Statistics in which is listed accurate and minute data concerning the value of securities current in this market, and concerning the actual physical condition of the business and assets of corporations offering their securities for sale, enabling the Trust Company to serve its patrons accurately in the matter of investments.

The Merchants Trust Company makes a specialty of loaning money on bonds and standard collateral as security and it offers for sale only such securities as it is willing to purchase on its own account, or to advance money upon when offered as collateral.

For the convenience of its patrons who may have interests in Eastern States, the Trust Company has secured as its correspondents leading Trust Companies in all financial centers from Coast to Coast and is prepared to care for the interests of its patrons wherever they may be located.

Particular attention is given to the business of women, many of whom require the services of a trustworthy business agent, a room has been set apart in the new Counting Room especially for the accommodation of women. Its appointments are convenient and complete in every particular.

The Trust Company methods are practical and convenient and are a necessity to the complete development of the financial life of the city.

BROADWAY'S FIRST SKYSCRAPER.

THE STORY OF ITS BIRTH AND GROWTH.

The progress of Broadway for the past few years has been remarkable, but the erection of the imposing eight-story fireproof office building for the Merchants' Trust Company marks a new epoch in the onward march of that business thoroughfare.

Work on dismantling the old Y.M.C.A. Building was commenced the sixteenth of May by the contractor, and this morning the Merchants' Trust Company is doing business in its new counting rooms, a description of which appears elsewhere.

A building of this character has never before been erected with such dispatch in this city or on the Coast as well. Six weeks after commencing the dismantling of the five-story Y.M.C.A., excavating for the new structure was commenced, and nothing has stayed its progress since.

The foundation walls and piers for the steel pillars are of concrete, a special feature of more than passing interest being the immense grillage piers in the front of the building. There are eight twenty-four-inch eye beams, each weighing one and one-half tons, imbedded in the concrete forming a foundation eight feet below water level, to support the great weight of the front of the structure. The water found in the excavation was successfully handled, and all piers and walls are sunk eight feet below the water level.

As soon as the steel frame was up to a sufficient height to allow the use of other materials, two electrical material elevators were installed similar to those used in the great eastern cities. They were of high speed and each had a capacity of 100 tons of material daily. These were the first material elevators of this speed and capacity introduced in Los Angeles, and proved a valuable adjunct in rushing work.

One hundred and fifty men were constantly employed upon the work by H. L. Smith, the contractor, and for the first time in Los Angeles masons were laying brick and terra cotta on different floors at the same time. For instance, when the steel work was two-thirds completed, the bricklayers started to lay terra cotta on the third story, and were also working on the second and sixth floors at the same time. Work was pushed systematically throughout the building, plasterers working on the second and third floors while fireproof construction men were putting in the cement top finish floors on the fourth floor and terra cotta partition walls on the fifth, and concrete exterior walls were in process of construction on the sixth and seventh stories. In this way the work progressed most advantageously, and full gangs of structural-iron workers, concrete men, bricklayers, plasterers and carpenters were steadily employed.

The building presents a handsome appearance, and is of absolutely fireproof construction, the contents of one office might be consumed by fire and the tenants in the adjoining office would not be aware of the fire until it was all over.

The contractor, H. L. Smith, is an acknowledged authority upon concrete work and fireproof construction, and has had an extensive experience in civil engineering and architecture, being both a technical and practical man. He was engineer and confidential superintendent for C. Leonardt, the contractor, for an extended period, resigning to engage in business independently about a year ago.

Previous to accepting the contract on the Merchants' Trust Building, Mr. Smith erected the transformer station near Eastlake Park for the Kern River Company. Owing to the great weight of the machinery installed it was necessary to have extremely heavy concrete foundations and also concrete partitions, together with much concrete construction work never done before in this section. With his extensive experience along these lines, Mr. Smith completed the contract in the specified time, and his work has been most favorably commented upon by electrical and engineering journals throughout the country.

ELECTRICAL FIXTURES FROM Z. L. PARMELEE COMPANY.

The electric fixtures in the Merchants' Trust Building are all of classical design and of the highest standard of quality, and are well in keeping with the superior finish noticeable throughout the entire building. They were manufactured especially for the building by the above-named company, in the well-equipped factory operated in the rear of their salesrooms at 334 South Spring street.

It would prove a surprise to many to learn that the Z. L. Parmelee Company conducts a manufacturing department in connection with their business which gives employment to over fifty skilled and competent workmen. The shop runs along the entire rear of a half dozen stores, adjoining the Spring-street salesrooms, and is over 130 feet in length by thirty-three feet in width. Where two and a half years ago but twelve men were employed, a half hundred are now engaged, so rapidly has this branch of the business grown and kept pace with the needs of the city.

The shop is equipped with the latest models of brass-working machinery, and is capable of turning out the best of artistic grill work for banks and offices, while an order for the large number of fixtures required in the Trust Company's building necessitated employing no additional force of men.

The engine-room furnishes power for the operation of all the machinery, and a dynamo also supplies electric lights for the shop, salesroom and the four artistically-arranged show-rooms, where beautiful fixtures, statues and classical designs in ceiling, hall, drawing and dining-room lights are on exhibition. A handsome display is made in this department, and one well illustrating the extent and variety of the stock carried, the greater part of which is manufactured on the premises.

Z. L. Parmelee Company was incorporated in 1893, although the business was established away back in 1868, before Broadway, the site of the Merchants' Trust Building, was little more than a residence street. Z. L. Parmelee, the president of the company, has had many years' experience in this line of business, while R. C. Kennan, the secretary of the company, has been connected with it for several years.

NEW PLANT FOR THE WASHINGTON IRON FOUNDRY.

The Washington Iron Foundry the first of the year moved into its new and commodious establishment corner of Sacramento and Wilson streets, where three acres of ground were secured by Graham Brothers for their plant. All the stairwork in the handsome new Merchants' Trust Building was made by this firm, who since establishing their business in this city seven years ago have expanded and kept growth with the city, until their former plant on North Main street proved too small for the growing demands of the trade.

The firm makes a specialty of stairwork and has furnished the same for most of the imposing office buildings in Los Angeles, among the number the firm is now engaged upon may be mentioned the California Hospital's handsome addition, the seven-story Fay building at the corner of Third and Hill streets, the Lankershim Hotel and the Lankershim Block and many others.

Besides the above-mentioned line the foundry also manufactures a French range that has established a reputation throughout the Southwest that has kept the factory running at full force. Over sixty skilled and competent men are given constant employment, and the firm carries an immense stock of coke and pig iron on hand to meet the demands of the trade.

THE WOODILL-HULSE ELECTRIC COMPANY.

In the Merchants' Trust Building danger from fire occasioned by "crossed electric wires" is eliminated by the electrical system employed in wiring the building, all wires being enclosed in iron conduits which reach every portion of the building, delivering the wires directly to the offices. The above named company had entire charge of the electrical wiring and embodied a number of special features in the work not contained in other buildings of the same character in the city.

It is perhaps in the bank wiring that most interest is centered, for here all desk lights for book-keepers come directly from the floor, making unnecessary the objectionable overhead wiring in order to secure good desk lights. The fire and burglar-proof bank vault is rendered doubly safe by electrical wiring inserted in the masonry which is so arranged that not a chip could be removed from the vault's exterior without sounding the electrical burglar alarm.

The Woodill-Hulse Electric Company is the oldest electrical firm in Los Angeles, and has been prominently before the building public for many years. Probably no other house has done more work in this line than they during the past decade. Seventy-five skilled and competent workmen are employed by the company in their various departments. A factory turning out all kinds of electrical apparatus, controllers, panel boards, and the various lines required for the trade is operated, while the stock of electrical supplies carried is the most complete in the Southwest, including all kinds of motors and heating apparatus.

THE HOOFMAN-MARKS HARDWARE COMPANY.

In awarding the hardware contract on the Trust Building, the owners and architects placed it with the above-named company; the specifications calling for bouer-barf door knobs, hinges and escutcheons of the best quality. The selection being well in keeping with the superior finish throughout the building, the bouer-barf being a dull black finish and extremely rich in effect. There are over 150 doors leading from the offices to the corridors, and an equal number opening from one office to another, as the rooms are all en suite. These office doors are supplied with the latest style of communicating locks with standard bouer-barf hinges.

If the Hoofman-Marks Hardware Company may be said to have a specialty it is probably along the line of builders' hardware, and of this they carry the largest and most complete stock in the city, a fact recognized by leading architects and builders. The samples they carry is most complete and in charge of an experienced man who is thoroughly conversant with the many details of the business.

Among the most recently completed jobs finished by the firm may be mentioned the new Hotel Leighton and the Pepper as well, while the Hotel Lexington was also supplied by the firm, together with the handome Chamber of Commerce Building, the Grant Building and many others.

The gentlemen comprising the personnel of the company give their personal attention to the business and have had years of experience in catering to the building trade of Los Angeles and are correspondingly well known.

At Schenectady, N. Y., four business blocks were almost completely destroyed by fire yesterday and two other buildings were damaged, entailing a loss of $200,000, partly covered by insurance.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. G. W. Grove's signature on each box.

Sunset at Grand Canyon.

"The vision of the canyon at sunset is one of the marvels. All its colors are intensified and the reds and yellows burn like coals. Oceans of rose-colored flame sweep up the walls and all the sky is gorgeous with pink light, while the farther rim is ablaze with the fire of hyacinth, ruby and garnet." Santa Fe excursions to Grand Canyon, February 11 and 22; round-trip rate $25 from Southern California and $30 from north of Bakersfield. Ask agents about it. P.S.—New hotel, "El Tovar," is open.

Early Sunday "Liners."

The large volume of "Liners" now being regularly printed in the Sunday Times is taxing the mechanical capacity of the office, and it will be appreciated if real estate dealers will turn in Sunday copy as early as possible. Copy that can be turned in by Friday evening will be of material assistance. Our advertising solicitors will be pleased to call for copy if it is inconvenient to send or bring it to the office. Telephone Sunset Press One, Home The Times.

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"The Grand Canyon country is the hugest and most varied and instructive example of earth of erosion. It is the mesa country—the Land of Tables. Nowhere else on the footstool is there such an example of deep-gnawing water or of water high-carving, with this lava tablecloths on tables 100 feet high." See it on the Santa Fe excursions, February 11 and 22, to Grand Canyon; $25 round trip from Southern California and $30 from north of Bakersfield. Full information at Santa Fe offices. P. S.—New hotel, "El Tovar," is open.

Last Day at $90.00 Per Let.

Prices will be advanced to $115 after midnight today. Call at our office for free car fare and full information. Office will be open tonight to accommodate those who can not come in the day time. Carlson Investment Co., 124 S. Broadway, ground floor, Chamber of Commerce Building.

Her Baby's Stomach.

Mrs. Frances Harris of 29 Shaw avenue, Lewiston, Pa., says: "After trying all other foods Sunbright's is the only one that does not disturb my baby's stomach."

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 1, 1905.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES.

Asa P Pierce, Emma L Pierce, P G Forsythe and Mary A C Forsythe to Otis McGinnis, lot 6, Pierce & Forsythe tract, $10.

Otis McGinnis and Annie McGinnis to William F McGinnis, part lot 4, Pierce & Forsythe tract, $10.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 34, block 1, Park Place, $10.

Bertha Siegrist and Jacob Siegrist to W D Wilson, lots 9 and 10, subdivision of center part of Carr tract, $10.

Eliza A McLean to Viola B Haskell, lot 5, De Conger Home tract, $10.

Hattie H D Story and Warren Story to Mary K Hayes, part lot 1, block G, New Fair Oaks-avenue tract, $10.

W W Hadley and Sarah E Hadley to Los Angeles Trust Company, lots 21 and 22, Waverly tract, $10.

John W Griffin and Flora W Griffin to H J Woollacott, part lots 3 and 4, block 1, O S, $75,000.

A M Huxtable, formerly A M Knight, to G H Royce, lot 21, Sierra Vista tract, $450.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Melitta Wunderlich and Olga Wunderlich, lot 13, Grant tract, $10.

W H Thompson and A Thompson to W E Mulvihill, lot 9, block A, Thompson & Schock tract, $10.

Romona Soto to Alex Strandburg, part lot 9, block 9, Los Angeles Homestead tract, $10.

Birdie M Carter and Thomas O Carter to City of Los Angeles, part lots 4 and 7, block 3, New Depot tract, $2700.

Mary E Whiteside to Frank B Hanawalt, lot 2, Whiteside tract, $10.

Union Trust Company of San Francisco to Helen T Penney, lot 14, block 4, subdivision of certain lots in Highland Park tract, $10.

Reginald Jervoise West to William Neumann, part lot 2, block 14, subdivision No 2, Sunny Slope estate, $10.

Stella V S Kennedy, formerly Stella V S Lowe and William Kennedy to Mrs Rosa Phillips, part lots 9 and 10, block H, Walnut Grove tract, $10.

Charles A Tait, trustee, to Edwin J Brent, lots 28, 29, 30 and 31, First addition to Central Park Vernon, $10.

Edwin J Brent and Mary Brent to W J Fisher, lots 28, 29, 30 and 31, same tract, $10.

J A Farnsworth, Jr, to L L Newerf, part lot 4, block Y, Allso tract, $25.

L L Newerf and Edith D Newerf to Lee A McConnell same property, $10.

Gertrude Stenerson to W A Banks, lot 24, block 4, Howes tract, $10.

Charles L Perrin and Mary Perrin to Oliver E Roberts, lots 16 and 17, Lake Shore tract, $10.

Harrison T Buff and Ellen S Buff to Henry C Middleton, lot 3, Hicklin's subdivision, $1700.

Henry Greenawalt to Bertha E Roberts, lots 8 and 42, block 4, Meadow Glen tract, $650.

Louis J Schock to W B Thompson, lot 14, block A, Thompson & Schock tract, $10.

James Jordan and Emmeline Jordan to Mrs Elizabeth A Moore, lots 22 and 24, block Y, J C Zahn's resubdivision, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Archibald R Brown, lot 57, Normandie-avenue tract, $10.

Thomas H Johnson and Ammie Johnson to Robert Gray and Cathering Agness Gray, lot 15, Amos Wright's subdivision, $10.

W H Workman, Maria E Workman, H W Keller and M A Keller to Maud E Radcliffe, lot 4, block E, Workman Park tract, $10.

John R Denny and Sarah F Denny to M E Fowler, lot 11, block 16, E S Fields Occidental Heights tract, $1.

James G Ogilvie and Hattie L Ogilvie to Sarah A Fallon, lot 1, Ogilvie's Grand View Heights tract, $600.

A C Walter and Mrs Laura Walter to Mrs S M Cheney, lot 20, block 12, Diamond-street tract, $325.

W H Workman and Maria E Workman to E M Pentz, lot 3, block 3, Stevenson's subdivision, $10.

Ida A Bromley to Charles M Stone and Charles E Walker, part lot 31, and all lots 22, 23 and 24, Firey & Rhorer's subdivision, $10.

F E Hoard and Mary C Hoard to Edna L Dundas, lot 4, block A, Hughes subdivision, 31.

E R Webster and Minnie V Webster to J M Rothchild, lot 1, Cummings subdivision of block 36, H S, $600.

Abbot Kinney to Miss Louise Clawson, lot 10 and part lot 11, block 1, Country Club tract, $10.

M E Cary to William D Enz and Lena B Enz, lot 6, block C, Temple-street Villa tract, $150.

W A Spickler and Anna Spickler to E S Tutt, undivided ¼ interest in lot 2, Nathan Varney's subdivision, $10.

John J Charnock to Roy Metcalf, lot 3, block A, Soto-street tract, $10.

Montie Martin to Will P W Martin, lot 9, Belvedere Heights, $10.

Richard A Collins and Alice M Collins to Paul A Cripperi, lots 204 and 205, M L Wicks subdivision of part Germain tract, $10.

Charles M Stimson to William Schkomedau, lot 70, O J Muir's tract, $1200.

G E Barlow to James M Cameron, lot 20, Oakley's Central-avenue tract, $475.

Mrs Elmira L Edwards to Emma J Sumner, lot 20, block 3, Old Clapp Orchard tract, $10.

J J Young and Mary A Young to Lucy M Burton, lots 9 and 30, block 13, Childs Heights, $10.

Frank H Roberts and Sarah Roberts to J W Silkwood, agreement to convey lot 7, W V Kellen tract, $2450.

Thomas O'Leary and Emily O'Leary to B F Eshelman, lot 2, block 3, Adams-street Homestead tract, $10.

George Davis to Sadie E Taylor, lot 4, block 2, V H Swartin's subdivision, $10.

Herbert Peery Garret, Albert Barron and Elias A Barron to Mary J Bailey, lot 4, block A, Alderson & Son's West Jefferson-street tract, $10.

Etta M Jones, formerly Etta M Prosise, and Grace O Stanfield, formerly Grace O Prosise, to John E Daly, lots 9 and 11, Lowe & Roberts subdivision, $1250.

J W A Off and Blanche B Off to A A Lewis, lot 4, block 2, J W A Off subdivision, $10.

Riverside Heights Company to Lucille Hulville, lot 18 and part lot 20, block 4, Highland Park extension, $10.

W Walker and Mary Walker to W E Patterson and Hattie O Patterson, part lot 1, block C, H N Elliott's Ninth-street tract, $10.

Mrs E M Hamilton and J L B Hamilton to Zoa B Moore, lot 13, block H, Garvanza addition No 1, $100.

M L Wicks to Rannells Land Company, lots 21, 22 and 63, Alvarado Park tract, $10.

C Q Stanton and Ida D Stanton to John L Spencer, lot 11, block F, Mrs Fitzgerald's tract, $10.

Horace G Bemis to Charlie B Russell, agreement to convey lot 143, Green's Central-avenue tract, $2000.

Mary Nevin and W D Nevin to Leslie Osborn, lot 8 block 1, Elm-avenue tract, $10.

W S Bryant and L U Bryant to Edward W Kinsler, lot 14, Pardee tract, $200.

Carrie F Messer to Ephraim N Pardee, lot 24, H C Lewis subdivision, $10.

E A Forrester, Mary C Forrester, A W Forrester, M Ella Forrester, Fred W Forrester and Ione Forrester to R F Balding, part lots 25, 26 and 27, block L, Nadeau Orange tract, $10.

R F Balding and Caroline Balding to Artie Page, same property, $10.

Emeline S Soper to A S Blackburn, lot 23, block B, McKoon tract, $250.

Emanuel Lasay to C E Payne, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 3, Griffiths subdivision, $10.

Viola B Haskell and Eben J Haskell to Henry Merchantell, part lot 18, G W Hayes resubdivision, $10.

W H Workman and Maria E Workman to L E Emmett, lot 14, block 1, Stevenson's subdivision, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to John P Richards and Matilda Richards, reconveyance of trust property.

Charles M Stimson to Walter F Henschel, lots 21, 22 and 24, block 5, Highland Park extension, $250.

Katherine M Barager and George H Barager to Nahum P Short, lot 24, block C, Finney tract, $10.

R B Newby and Lydia J Newby to Albert J Brown, lot 4, Cliff tract, $10.

A J Brown and Lydia A Brown to Albert B Newby, lot 2, A J, block I, Moore & Kelleher's subdivision, and lot adjoining lot 12, block I, Moore & Kelleher's subdivision, $10.

Ernest Handel and Ida Handel to Amelia Handel, lot adjoining lot 10, Brown's subdivision, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Mrs Emma L Edwards, reconveyance of trust property.

Emil F Florchen and Anna M C Florchen to Mary A Cummings, lot 13, block 22, C V Hall tract, $10.

S S Salisbury to Anna B Salisbury, undivided one-fourth of part lot 5, block B, Baker tract, $10.

F O Cass and C E Cass to Irving S Metzler, lot 47, block 7, Howes tract, $10.

Silvanus White and Malinda L White to Lena Hansen, lot 24, Silvanus White tract, $10.

Hugh Glassell and Andrew Glassell, executors of estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, to William R Myers and Emil C Kulil, lot 49, southern portion of Montezuma tract, $12,-$99.

Total, $137,561.

ALAMITOS.

Alamitos Land Company to Long Beach and Alamitos Improvement Company, blocks 36 and 37, Manila Avenue tract, $10.

ALAMITOS TRACT.

Minnesota N Bixby to Pacific Electric Railway Company, part of farm lot 222, $10.

BAY VIEW TRACT.

Mrs Annie Laurie McAuley to W C Eymann, lot 15, block 12, $10.

BROADACRES.

C R Davis and Mary J Davis to T J Cathey, lot 23, block 27, McCoy's addition, $950.

Bartonish Hayden, sometimes known as Bartonish Hayden, and Margaret Hayden, husband and wife, to R H Dilts, part of lot 22, block 27, McCoy's addition, $10.

BURBANK.

Jane Dowling to Milton Richards, lots, 13, 15, 17 and 19, block 48, $10.

CEMETERY LOTS.

P L Byers and R L Neal to Mrs E I Isabell, part of lot 22, block 2, Mount Olive Cemetery, $10.

CLAREMONT.

James Seary and Mary E Seary to C R Miller and Mary S Miller, lots 16 and 17, block 20. (Dated August 15, 1900.) $150.

Lucius T Bishop and Julia A Bishop to Lizzie T Valle, lot 16, block 20, $50.

C R Miller, Helen S Miller, Mary S Miller and George W Miller to Lizzie T Valle, lots 16 and 17, block 20, $50.

Irving S. Metzler to Lizzie T Valle, lot 17, block 20, $45.

COUNTY LANDS.

Louis Christopher to Maria I de Ruiz, part of section 32, township 7 north, range 14 west, $50.

Leonard M Russel to C M Thaxter, part of section 28, township 2 south, range 13 west, $2500.

Charles Delbovier to R J Hills and Mabel Hills, part of section 11, township 7 north, range 13 west, $40.

Sarah Elizabeth Samuel to Mrs E M Walls, part of section 28, township 3 south, range 11 west, $2500.

HOLLYWOOD.

Mary Penman Moll to W W Eakins and Marion Eakins, lot 65, Bonnie Brier tract, $10.

LONG BEACH.

R F Gill to Joe J Thornton, lots 12 and 15, block 54, $20.

James R Cook and Harriet A Cook to William H Mullett and Judith Mullett, part of lot 1, block 5, $10.

William F Mason and Charlotte Ada Mason to C Peterson, part of lots 14 and 16, block 67, $1000.

T S Stamy and Alvenia J Stamey to S J Newton, lots 1 and 2, block 47, $2500.

M'DONALD TRACT.

Lina G Rhea and A B Rhea to A A Farley, part of lot 34, $10.

OCEAN PARK.

Emma H Henderson and James Henderson to Mrs Frances L Mocers, lot 4, block 5, Golden Bay tract, $10.

PALM PLACE.

Lewis C Carlisle and Claire S Carlisle to George W Walker, lot 10, block 2, $10.

PASADENA.

Alvin Gibbs and Jane B Gibbs to Jacob M Murdock and Anna D Murdock, part of lots 4 and 5, Alvin Gibbs' subdivision, $10.

N Carrie Wells and Asa A Wells to W H Barrett, lot 19, Orange Dale tract, $10.

RANCHO RINCON DE LOS BUEYES.

Archie Duquette and Mrs Elena Duquette to Theodor Wendler, part of said ranch, $10.

ROSS TRACT.

Estate of Alexander L Ross, deceased, decree of distribution to Charles A Ross, lot 2, To Felix A MacNell, lot 2. To heirs of Hunter M Ross, deceased, lot 4.

Estate of Hester A Ross, deceased, decree of distribution to Elizabeth M McCulloch, formerly Elizabeth M Leonard, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block C; lots 15 and 16, block D, MacQuarrie & Sepulveda subdivision; lot 4.

Elizabeth M McCulloch, formerly Elizabeth M Leonard, John A McCulloch and Charles A Ross to Albert B Forman, lots 7 and 4.

SAN PEDRO.

Aaron Hattenbach and Belle Hattenbach to A R Pearse, lot 24, Peck's subdivision of block 50, $2500.

Charles Dwight Willard and Mary E Willard to Mary F Keith, lot 14, block 4, East San Pedro, $10.

Anna M Krause to F L Forrester and H T Coffin, lots 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 12, and part of lots 7 and 11, block 2, range 4, new San Pedro, $4000.

SANTA MONICA.

Mary Ellen Leavitt and Florence M Leavitt to Maria H Shead, lot F, block 138, $350.

Santa Monica Commercial Company to I A Jameson, lot 4 and part of lots 5 and 6, block T, Ocean tract, $50.

Henry P Barbour and Florence E Barbour to J J Davis, lot 4, block L, Ocean Park tract, $10.

WHITTIER.

Estate of Angeline Deeter, deceased, decree of distribution to Lulu Allen, personal property; lot 12, block 3, Williamson tract; lot 24, block 11.

Joseph Todd and Anna M Todd to D E Hinshaw, part of lots 10 and 11, block 4, $200.

WILMINGTON.

University of Southern California to H T Coffin and F L Forrester, lots 9 and 11, block 14, range 6, $10.

Benton McCoy and Lenora McCoy to F L Forrester and H T Coffin, agreement to convey block 1, range 6, $5200.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	32	20	26	New York	34	16	25
Washington	38	24	31	Buffalo	30	18	24
Pittsburgh	37	24	31	Cincinnati	42	24	33
Chicago	32	6	19	St. Paul	8	*2	*7
St. Louis	42	28	35	Kansas City	24	10	17
Los Angeles	64	52	58	Jacksonville	56	44	47

*Below zero.

The maximum is for January 31; the minimum for February 1. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.91; at 5 p.m., 29.89. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 56 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 79 per cent.; 5 p.m., 52 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 12 miles. Maximum temperature, 67 deg.; minimum, 55 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace; rainfall for season, 6.12 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm, with increasing intensity, off the Northern California coast, is driving rain south of the Columbia River. Southern storm signals are ordered displayed on the southern coast by the District Forecaster, where high winds from the southern quadrant are expected. Extremely cold weather is reported from the Upper Missouri Valley, the temperature being from 20 to 40 deg. below zero.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and Thursday, with rain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfall in last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	.41	22.52	31.25
Red Bluff	1.65	23.18	28.62
Sacramento	1.02	11.08	5.13
San Francisco	1.21	15.41	7.19
Fresno	.....	.....	1.47
Independence	.....	.....	.42
San Luis Obispo	2.21	19.95	1.50
Los Angeles	Trace	6.12	.51
San Diego	.....	4.77	.46

A marked depression overlies California, extending well over Nevada. Heavy rains have fallen from the Tehachepi northward, with heavy snow in the Sierras. The following heavy rainfalls are reported: San Luis Obispo, 1.33 inches; Red Bluff, 1.36 inches. The rivers of Northern California will rise rapidly. Forecast:

California, north of Tehachepi: Rain Thursday; fresh south winds. South of Tehachepi: Rain Thursday; brisk to high south winds.

Nevada: Snow Thursday; cooler.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather Thursday, with showers; brisk south winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Thursday; brisk to high south winds.

Sacramento: Rain Thursday; brisk to high south winds. River will rise rapidly.

Fresno: Rain Thursday; fresh south winds.

Arizona: Snow in the north; rain in the south portion Thursday and Friday.

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Hotel cook, country, $75; man and wife, waiter and waitress, $50 etc.; private waiter and bus, $25 etc.; cook, small hotel, $45 etc.; restaurant cooks, $10 and $12; dishwashers, $7 and $8 week.

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WANTED—IF YOU ARE OUT OF EMPLOYment and wish to engage with me in an established business and can invest $200 with services as partner, you will make out of the investment about $125 per month; no experience necessary; owner will teach you the business. Call ROOM 209, 702 S. Spring. 2

WANTED—HANSEN EMPLOYMENT OFfice, 534 E. Second st. Wanted—Special machine hand, $2.50 and board; chuck tenders, $1.50 and board; camp blacksmith, near city; painters, near city; teamsters; laborers, city. 'PHONE 283. 2

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WANTED—GROCERY SALESMAN; OFFICE, hotel, store, factory help, insurance, carpenter, mattress maker, delivery man, man and wife, janitor, elevator man. EDWARD NITTINGER, 321 W. Fifth. 2

WANTED — 2 FIRST-CLASS PIANISTS, union or non-union, $30 per week. Call between 9:30 and 11 a.m. at MUSICIANS' EXCHANGE, 221½ S. Spring. All musicians are invited to register.

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WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS POSITION to work for board and lodging while attending Brownesberger Home School. Answer telephone the school, SUNSET MAIN 2811, HOME 7283. 2

WANTED — AN OFFICE POSITION BY A trustworthy, capable young man; have good business ability and am a permanent resident of city. Address N, box 171, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—POSITION AS TIMEKEEPER OR assistant; book-keeper by young man with five years' experience and all references. Address G, box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — JAPANESE YOUNG STUDENT wants a situation as school boy; has good experience and recommendation. S. YOMADA, 'phone Main 3034, Home 9001. 2

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WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD LIKE TO work mornings and evenings to pay for board and room, while attending college. Address N, box 196, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—BY JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT office, 439 S. Los Angeles, Home 6733, Main 2145. We furnish all kinds of Japanese help on short notice. 4

WANTED — SITUATION, OFFICE TRADE or light ranch at once; youth 15, bright, quick; no tobacco, etc. H. STILES, Edendale P.O. 3

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WANTED — SITUATION EXPERIENCED janitor wants situation; handy with tools; city reference. Address J, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, SPEAKS GERman, would like position as porter or kitchen helper. Address N, box 125, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—A WILLING YOUNG MAN, AGE 22, wishes work in anything honest and sober. HINDSCHADLER, 2615 N. Andrews st. 2

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PAPER HANGER from the East to take contract. 'Phone Hope 4366 or address 2021 KEY WEST. 2

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TO LET — NO NEED COMPLAINING OF high rents, when for $16 you can rent new, sunny 5-room flats, gas range, bath, heater, 341 Colton st., close in; $18, 5-room, new, 341 Colton st., close in; $18, 5-room, new, sunny flat, 1317 Diamond st.; $18 to $25, Fremont complex, 2 rooms, 234 S. Figueroa; also 206 N. Fremont, close in. Go and see. 2

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TO LET — HANDSOME RESIDENCE, 10 rooms, strictly modern, delightful location, opposite Alvarado Terrace Park, 1230; lowest reasonable rent to permanent parties. ABNER L. ROSS, owner, 208 Stimson Bldg., 'phone Main 5008. 2

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TO LET — A NEW 9-ROOM HOUSE ON West Adams Heights; fine surroundings; fine finish; large building; $40 per month. Inquire 234 MASON BLDG., corner Fourth and Broadway. 4

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TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE ON W. 36th st., No. 1276, with lawn and flowers. Residence of OWNER, 2102 Key West st. Will be at home every afternoon. 2

TO LET — LOWER FLAT, 3 ROOMS AND bath, modern improvements, $15. Call at 1907 S. F. O. ENGSTRUM, 461 H. W. 5

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT WITH GAS, also two large front rooms, at 1 E. Main. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg. 2

TO LET — FINE 5-ROOM FLAT, NEWLY papered, $22. Cross ave., $20 per month. A. CHAMBERLIN, 246 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET — ROOMS, NEW, AT 1115½ SAN Julian st., rent $12. W. H. OBEAR, 404 Johnson Bldg., 324 S. Broadway.

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED OR UN-furnished flat, modern improvements, rent reasonable. 734 W. 11th st. 2

TO LET — 3-ROOM MODERN FLAT, FINE furniture for sale at a bargain; new. PHONE MAIN 6262. 2

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TO LET — SIX-ROOM MODERN FLAT, RUTH Apartments, 1061 Temple st.; inquire at 1066 TEMPLE ST. Reasonable rent to good tenants. 2

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TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, IN REAR OF 536 W. 40th st.; unfurnished, $16 per mo. Water free. A big chicken lot. 2

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TO LET — $13; 6-ROOM HOUSE, 718 SAN Julian st., near Seventh. Inquire 1319 W. Washington st. 2

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TO LET — $18; 6 ROOMS, BARN, 2228 KINGS-ley st. MAY REALTY CO., 116 S. Broadway. 19

TO LET—NEW 3 AND 4-ROOM HOUSES, walking distances; summer rates. 121 E. 23D ST. 2

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TO LET—WELL FURNISHED HOUSE, complete for housekeeping, 4 bedrooms, lawn front and back, low rent to responsible tenants. 750 S. HILL. 2

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Stores, Offices, Lodging-houses.

TO LET — MODERN APARTMENT-HOUSE with 20 complete kitchens and 60 beautiful bedrooms; every convenience, just being completed and now ready for tenant; 5-year lease will be given at low rent; we have enough applicants now to fill all rooms. This is a rare chance to make $500 per month. 121 S. BUNKER HILL, or call 236 Douglas Bldg. 2

TO LET— New, 5-room, modern flat, over $105 Central ave. $20—One-year lease, that nice, large, new store building, 2 living-rooms, at 422 E. Third st.

BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 490 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—$20; NEW STORE, 25x52, IN BUILDing southwest cor. Main and 15th; good stand for meat market, groceries, hardware. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg. 2

TO LET—PART OR WHOLE OF HANDsome front office in Bradbury Bldg., partly furnished; fine light for draughtsman. C. H. PARENT & CO., 414 Bradbury Bldg. 2

TO LET—STOREROOM, LOW RENT, SUITable for tailor shop, manicuring, dressmaking, etc. Apply HOTEL VALDEMAR, cor. Sixth and Hope sts. 4

TO LET — $18; FINE STORE IN BEST business block; No. 1402 W. Pico st.; lease. H. P. ERNST, room 208 Tajo Blk., corner First and Broadway. 2

TO LET—22½x150, NEW STORE, 1119 San Pedro st., with large lot in rear; rent $25. W. H. OBEAR, 401-402 O. T. Johnson Bldg., 356 S. Broadway.

TO LET—2 STORES, 18x25 EACH ON GAR-ey st., 60 feet south of First, rent each $20 per month. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg. 2

TO LET—DESK SPACE TO LET IN OFfice, 629 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., $15.25 a month, including bell telephones; all conveniences. Call immediately. 2

TO LET—$20; LARGE BRICK STORE, FOUR living-rooms in rear; established business, corner Pico and Valencia. Owner, 1305 W. PICO. 2

TO LET — $12 MONTHLY, LARGE STORE with fixtures, on good corner; good grocery, meat market. Apply 122 S. BUNKER HILL. 2

TO LET — A FINE OFFICE IN THE TRUST Bldg., northeast corner Second and Spring. Apply 322 Trust Bldg. 'Phone Home 2703. 4

TO LET—ONE MORE OFFICE, FRONTING Broadway, $12.50; also new outside offices for $7.50. 120 N. BROADWAY. 2

TO LET — DESK ROOM IN BRALY BLDG., close to elevator; low rent. FISHBURN & NORTH, 315 Braly Bldg. 2

TO LET — OFFICE, H. W. HELLMAN Bldg.; large front office, 2nd floor. Inquire Room 212, 4th and Spring.

TO LET—A SPLENDID SUITE OF OFfices, or one; must act quick. 217-219 BRALY BLDG.

TO LET—LARGE STORE, 223 E. FOURTH st., 22x55, and 40x150, in rear, cheap. W. H. ROSE. 2

TO LET—A FINE OFFICE; ALSO DESK and desk room. ROOM 4, Belasco Theater Bldg.

TO LET—NEW STORES, PICO AND FLOWer; low rents. MARSHUTZ, 122 S. Spring.

TO LET—STOREROOM AT 629½ S. BROADway. Inquire 97H and MAPLE.

TO LET—STOREROOM, 24X36, WITH PARtition, $15 per month. 662 E. 8TH ST. 2

TO LET—SPACE FOR CIGAR STAND IN barber shop. 229 TEMPLE.

TO LET—2 STORES, PLATE FRONT. 322 S. FIGUEROA ST. 15

TO LET — DESK ROOM, 228 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK.

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TO LET— STORES—STORES —ON HILL ST.— —ON HILL ST.— BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH STS. ONE FOR $65 PER MONTH. ONE FOR $45 PER MONTH. ONE FOR $100 PER MONTH. ONE FOR $125 PER MONTH. ONE, 20x36, FINE FOR A PLUMBER, $30 PER MONTH. —SEE US AT ONCE— MINES & PARISH, 3 215 S. HILL ST.

TO LET— MODERN STORE. In the heart of Los Angeles; will rent cheaper per square foot than you can hire office room. This is certainly a GROUND-FLOOR PROPOSITION, for good tenant, so DON'T WAIT a year, as rents will be doubled in that time. Call me up at once. C. WESLEY ROBERTS, 203 Mercantile Place. Home 4534, Main 5373.

TO LET— We have a bargain in a new and modern rooming-house near Central Park; 31 large, airy rooms, stationary wash basins, hot and cold water, electric call bells, gas heating stoves, etc. This is a good proposition and it will pay you to investigate. For further particulars see W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., Suite 324-326 Wilcox Bldg.

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TO LET — 7 STORES 40 AND 100 FT. DEEP; modern show windows; located on Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth sts. Apply to HENRY WARD, 430 S. Broadway.

TO LET—
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TO LET—FARM LANDS— Lake Tulare wheat lands for rent; big crop, big money; plenty of water; large or small amounts. See us at once. TOMPKINS & CO., 601 Bryson Blk. 2

TO LET—
Beach Property.

TO LET—AT REDONDO BEACH, A HOUSE of 24 rooms, partly furnished. Call at 219 N. MAIN. 'Phone Home 1459. 2

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Miscellaneous.

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Houses.

FOR SALE—A GENUINE BARGAIN. ONE of the most desirable homes for the price in the market; $6000 is the low price; 8 rooms, new and modern, choice location, southwest; large lot, fruit and flowers; the neighborhood, in respects a very desirable home. Address OWNER, J. J., box 163, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— DO YOU WANT A HOME? 1124 W. 21ST ST., 5 ROOMS. Then see the owner, R. S. STEARNS, 223 S. Spring. 'Phone 628. 2

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, 5-ROOM house in best part of Pasadena, close to car, surrounded by substantial improvements; present tenant will rent long time to net 7½ per cent.; a gilt-edge investment; price $4000. Address J, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL, NEW, 5-ROOM cottage, modern, fine location, high ground, close in, snap, $2500; will take good driving horse or automobile as first payment, balance $15 monthly including interest. Owner, JUDSON, room 602 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—$4500; AT 2622 ROMEO PLACE, a nice one and one-half story house, six rooms, hardwood floors, plate-glass windows, etc.; best of surroundings; the lot is worth $2000. Call at above address. Address D, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—ANGELENO HEIGHTS, BEAUtifully located, well built, healthful surroundings; new, modern cottage; 7 rooms and bath; lot 45x90. Convenient car service; $2000; on easy payments. Address N, box 154, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—$1400; A BARGAIN, 5-ROOM cottage; 5-room house, nearly new; stand; fifty-foot lot, lawn, flowers, fruit trees, chicken yards; one block to Central or third; 8th cars. Look at this today. It will go soon. 922 E. 29TH ST.

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FOR SALE — BRAND NEW NINE-ROOM house, best residence part of city, high altitude, all modern conveniences, up-to-date in every detail; east front lot 50x170; Westlake Traction car. OWNER, 615 Commonwealth ave. 5

FOR SALE— 7-room cottage on West 12th st., between Union and Burlington ave.; lot 50x150; terms $500 cash and monthly payments. Now unoccupied. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 4 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE — IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOME OR A LOT TO BUILD ON OR WANT TO BUILD YOU A HOME WE WILL DO IT. CHAS. LANGE & CO., 121 S. BROADWAY, 'PHONE 2519. 2

FOR SALE — $40 FANNING, 4 ROOMS, bath and barn, modern, plastered house; Sunset Bird, or Temple car; delightfully located; $1950 net; easy terms. UNIVERSITY PLANING MILL, owner. 4

FOR SALE—$4000; FINE CORNER ON UNion ave., close to 23d, 50x100, new and modern double house, 14 rooms; will rent for $63 month. F. FROST, main agent, 1142 W. 24th st. Home 'phone 21079.

FOR SALE—ONE OF TWO FINE, MODERN residences in Westlake district on high, sightly lots in best neighborhood. The prices are cut very fine for a quick deal. See OWNER at 709 Rampart for key.

FOR SALE—$1000 CASH AND MORTGAGE for $1600 will buy good 7-room house on lot 50x150; large stable; five minutes from center of city. A. L. REST, room 78, Temple Blk. Tel. Home 1269.

FOR SALE — $2100; NEW COTTAGE, FIVE rooms, 50-foot lot, elegant surroundings, southwest; porcelain bath; gas and electric fixtures; tinted; $25 a month. WIESENDANGER, 231 Laughlin Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—SPECIAL!!! TWO FIVE-ROOM cottages on convenient CORNER; MUST SELL within 30 days; $2350 will buy the two. A. L. M'DONALD, 229 W. Fourth st., 'Phones Home 2443; Main 2278. 2

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM COTTAGE, ON AVE. 53, near Griffin ave.; lot 52x130; price $2600; $500 down, $10 per month; must be sold in 10 days. CHAS. F. PATTERSON & CO., 416 Braly Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—$MARTEST SIX-ROOM BUNgalow in town; new and stricktly modern; lot 46x192, alley; $2000, ½ cash; worth $2500. MRS. EDDY, 5422 Ash st., Highland Park. 'Phone East 1927.

FOR SALE—THE BEST 6-ROOM MODERN residence that $6000 can buy; large lot, driveway, barn, fine street; nicely elevated; southwest. L. D. POST, 345 Douglas Bldg. Home 2013; West 1853.

FOR SALE — SPECIAL BARGAIN; NEW 5-rooms, reception hall; large lot; southwest; only $2950; $500 cash, $30 monthly. A. B. NOLTON, 142 S. Broadway, room 12.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE— M. E. JOHNSON & CO., 605 Herman W. Hellman Bldg. Home 'Phone 4539.

$2200—A 6-room cottage on E. 23d st. near Central; lot 48x148. This place is exceedingly cheap if you are looking for a cottage.

$2500—A 5-room, new, modern cottage, beautifully arranged. Lot 40x135 on Woodlawn ave., near 28th and Main. This is a beautiful cottage and exceedingly cheap at $2500. If you want a brand new, absolutely modern cottage, let us show you this one, or a 6-room, new, modern cottage next door to this one, for $2700.

$4100—An 8-room, 1½-story house on E. 18th st., near Central; lot 50x153. This house has four large bedrooms, and is exceedingly cheap at the low price of $4100.

$4100—A 7-room, 2-story residence on W. 12th st., beautifully located near Union ave.; lot 50x125; you get a whole lot for your money if you buy this place.

$4100—A 6-room, 1½-story residence on W. 20th st. near Orchard; lot 50x137 to alley. For full particulars regarding this and other properties, call on us.

$4700—A 9-room residence on Bonsallo st. near 21st st.; lot 50x135; easy terms. It will pay you to look at this place.

$6000—A large 10-room residence on W. 23d st. near Union; lot 50x138. This is one of the best bargains in the city. The lot is worth $800 at the present time and the improvements cost over $5000. Property near 23d st. and Union ave. is getting more valuable every year. If you want something really good, let us tell you about this property.

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$8250—A beautiful 8-room residence, modern in every respect, on Westlake ave. near 10th st. If you want a beautiful home in the Westlake district, let us show you this one.

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FOR SALE— GREAT SACRIFICE.

A beautiful home, furnished complete, at less than half its cost to owner; carpets, beds, bedding, crockery, furniture, etc., and including the mahogany furniture; never was there such a bargain offered in Los Angeles, and will not be again in 100 years. This beautiful property

COST THE OWNER $14,000. $7250—WILL BUY IT—$7250. If you can find such a bargain in Los Angeles owner will give you the property. You cannot find anything like it for $12,000; the house is a beauty inside and outside; 12 rooms, tile grates, heated by hot water; "Detroit Heater;" electricity, gas, porcelain bath, cement floor in double brick cellar; also in barn; cement work cost over $1000; 7 40-ft. lots "less 6 feet" by 140 to alley. Orange, magnolia, date palm trees, etc., both sides of house and private red gravel drive; flowers, arbors, climbers, etc.; this is a beautiful place; $7250 would not build house and barn; lot alone worth the price. The street is 80 ft. wide; 5-ft. cement walks, 14 feet between curb and property line; palm trees; fine improvements and fine neighborhood; terms easy. Go and see it. DO IT NOW. If this is not a great bargain will pay you for your time and trouble. Do not fail to see this, and do it quick; no commissions to pay. See OWNER, room 402, Bradbury Bldg., Third and Broadway. 2

FOR SALE— HOUSES, HOUSES, WEST AND SOUTHWEST.

$10,000

13 rooms. A fine place in one of the most desirable home tracts. Built of the best materials. Hard-wood floors; 6 sleeping rooms; billiard-room, etc. The price is way below what this property could be duplicated for today.

$7250

Westlake way; 8 rooms, oak floors; new; modern; finely located in first-class residence district.

$4500

10 rooms; complete in every detail; gas and electricity; cement cellar; piped for furnace; stationary tubs; hard-wood floors; the latest plumbing in bathroom and kitchen; cold air closets. East and south exposures.

OUR LIST OF LOTS IN DESIRABLE TRACTS IS QUITE COMPLETE.

$5000

9-room, 2-story house on Vermont ave.; the street of fine residences; a large roomy house of modern structure on a beautiful street.

$5400

A delightful 6-room, 2-story house; all up-to-date conveniences; just nearing completion; time now to select your own tintings; on a wide street convenient to car lines.

We also have a list of fine cottages in all desirable parts of the city.

C. P. DEYOE, 208 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 2

FOR SALE— WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

For sale—

$6500—We offer a modern house of 7 rooms and reception hall; cove ceilings; tinted walls; hardwood floors; beautiful combination fixtures; gas range in kitchen; 3 bedrooms upstairs; all woodwork in bedrooms finished in enamel; bathroom, with instantaneous heater; cellar and furnace; beautiful lawn and flowers with broad cement walk from front veranda to street; lot 50x150. If you want a home charming in its arrangement and completeness, and of superior construction, located near Westlake Park, on one of the most exclusive streets, we should like you to see this.

THE ROBERT MITCHELL CO., Both 'Phones 2331. 508 S. Broadway. L.A.R.B. 2

FOR SALE—$1250; BY OWNER, 5-ROOM cottage, within walking distance, $300 cash, $15 monthly; balance at 6 per cent. No agents. Address N, box 149, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 4-ROOM FURnished cottage; on Macy st., within walking distance for $1450, $500 cash, balance like rent, at 6 per cent. Address N, box 104, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE— SNAP—EAST SIXTH ST. CALL MONDAY IF YOU WANT A BARGAIN. N. DAVIDSON, 4 206 MERCANTILE PLACE.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 5-ROOM MODERN house, 1220 Iowa st., opposite beautiful Alvarado Terrace; must sell and can give you a bargain. Owner, A. BRAUER, 128 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE — THE MOST COMPLETE 5-room house in Westlake district, located near corner Westlake and 11th; price $11,000. D. C. WHITTEN, 831 Westlake. 'Phone 5544. 2

FOR SALE—$4750; WHERE CAN YOU EQUAL this? New east front 7-room 2-story Westlake house, modern every particular; TERMS. WESTON, 321 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—$400 CASH, NEW, 6-ROOM COTtage on Avenue 40, toward Highland Park; south front, graded street, price $2500. WM. N. HOLWAY, 230 Grant Bldg. 1028, 2

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM COTtage on W. 25th st., near "Log Cabin;" price $2850; easy terms; monthly payments if desired. CHAS. S. MANN, 315 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—512 SOLANO AVE.; MODERN 9-room cottage at a bargain; large cellar, heavy brick foundation, bath; lot 62x135, to alley. CALDWELL & CO., 407 Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—A MODERN 5-ROOM COTtage on large lot, barn on lot; located on south side of 22nd st., 1½ blocks east of Central ave. Inquire 419 BYRNE BLDG.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM COTTAGE ON BOYLE Heights, close to car line, park and school, $200 down, balance $15 monthly, including interest. 648 S. MATHEWS ST. 2

FOR SALE—GREAT SNAP BARGAIN; 5-room modern, fine 2-story house, $2300; worth $3500; also 5-room modern cottage, $2200. OWNER, 220 Potomac Blk. 2

FOR SALE—6-ROOM COTTAGE, STRICTLY modern, located on Angeleno Heights, on car line. See T. H. WRIGHT, Owner, 224 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—I AM JUST FINISHING SOME up-to-date 6-room cottages, splendid location, southwest, that I will sell on easy terms. L. L. BOWEN, 302 Frost Block.

FOR SALE — $1100; NEAT 4-ROOM PLASTered cottage splendid location, near Maple ave. car; must sell at once. See HOFFMAN, 116 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—5-ROOM CALIFORNIA HOUSE, completely furnished, 9 minutes from Third and Spring; $600, ¼ cash. Address N, box 196, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—N.E. CORNER 10TH and Wall, 44x146; 2-story, modern built house, 10 rooms. Apply O. A. VICKREY, 412 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM HOUSE, $1800, ON METcalf st. 1 block south of Temple. Inquire 221 METCALF ST., or Tel. Sunset Black 6661.

FOR SALE—$22650; 5 ROOMS, MODERN, high location. 3622 S. BONNIE BRAE ST. 3

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE— M. E. JOHNSON & CO., 605 Herman W. Hellman Bldg. Home 'Phone 4539.

GREAT SACRIFICE. A beautiful home for about one-half its actual cost. Cost $12,000. $6500—Will Buy It—$6500. A handsome 12-room residence in good location and for only $6500. It is a beauty both inside and out. Plate glass, furnace, electricity, gas, porcelain bath, cement floor in cellar; also in large barn; large yard with magnolia, palm and orange trees; lot 75x140 feet. The furnishings for same, including carpets, beds, bedding, crockery, furniture, etc., and including the mahogany furniture, will be sold at one-third its cost, if purchaser desires. This property will make a nice home or the property can be rented and make it a first-class investment. The property in this vicinity is advancing very rapidly, and the lot alone will soon be worth this price. Terms easy. See us at once.

M. E. JOHNSON & CO., 605 Herman W. Hellman Bldg. Home 'Phone 4539. 2

FOR SALE— "The Half Has Not Been Told."

$2200—Modern, beautiful, 5-room, cottage, coved ceilings, grate, marble washstands, porcelain bath; all the conveniences of a strictly up-to-date and most desirable home in every respect; corner lot, 51x145 to alley; No. 1290 E. 58th st. (One block from Central ave.) one-third cash, balance $20 per month, without interest; a bargain and below cost.

$5500—2-story, new, strictly modern nine rooms; lot 40x132; 740 W. 17th st., near Figueroa; hardwood floors, cove ceilings, tinted walls, clothes closets, hall seat, and in fact, all of the conveniences required by the most exacting housewife; bath and toilet on each floor, cement cellar for furnace; (adjoining vacant lot $2500.) THIS BEAUTIFUL HOME WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK. It is positively $1000 below value. Only 1 block from 16th st. car lines.

Cottages, houses, flats, all parts of the city from $1000 to $15,000. A very large list and some of them much below value.

L.A.R.B. J. A. FARNSWORTH. REAL ESTATE, RENTALS, LOANS. 2 206½ S. Broadway, rooms 19-20.

FOR SALE— ELEGANT HOME OF NINE ROOMS.

$9000

In the Westlake district; distinctly individual in style and appointments is this place. Constructed of stone, wood and cement; harmoniously combined; antique oak finish downstairs, white enamel finish upstairs; and art-glass windows; birch with panelled walls, beautiful mantel and beamed ceiling. Living-room 18x22 feet, brick mantel and open fireplace; built-in buffet in living-room; casement windows; beamed ceiling; fine hall downstairs; ideal sleeping rooms; large clothes closets and extra large closets for linens; upstairs rooms have many artistic shelves over windows and doors; great attic; cement basement and furnace; convenient kitchen with two pantries; fine laundry; reception hall unusually large, with elaborate stairway; also beamed ceiling. The lot is 70x 190 feet—very choice.

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City Lots and Lands.

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FLORENCE VILLA TRACT
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Located in the heart of the
VILLAGE OF FLORENCE.

Only 14 minutes from Sixth and Main sts., on the Long Beach Electric Railroad.

Lots 50 feet wide by 160 to 200 feet deep; streets will be graded, 4-foot cement sidewalks will be laid; large bearing walnut trees now growing on the land, artesian water will be piped to each lot; soil a nice sandy loam. There are two stores, a church and a school all within a stone's throw of the tract; also telephones.

This is one of the fine suburban villages near Los Angeles, only one mile below the city limits. Go out at once and have a lot reserved by making a small cash payment, balance $10 per month;

PRICE $300 AND UP.

Be sure and tell the conductor to let you off at Florence Station, on the Long Beach Electric Line. See Mr. Guiton or Mr. Baldwin, salesmen for the tract, at my branch office, Florence Station. They will show you the tract and give you full information regarding prices and terms.

If not convenient for you to go out to the tract, drop into this office,

120 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.,

and get full plats and full information.

GUSTAV S. SMITH, Sole Agent,
Member of L. A. Realty Board.
Main 2712. Home 1453

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FOR SALE—
TWELVE REASONS

Why you should stop paying rent and secure a lot in

$200.	SUNNYSIDE PARK.	$200.
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$200.	SUNNYSIDE PARK.	$200.

The lots are double the size at one-half the price of ordinary city lots.

The streets are oiled and improved with cement curb and walk.

The avenues are lined with palms and fruits.

Two electric lines furnish ample and quick transportation facilities.

Two schools provide education for your children.

The lots are high, large and level.

The soil is exceptionally rich and loamy.

Pure sparkling artesian water is piped to your lot in abundant quantities for all needs at one-third the cost of city water.

The view of the mountains is the grandest and most imposing in Southern California.

The terms are easier than paying rent.

Two-thirds of the lots are already sold and homes being built on them.

Why crowd yourself into stuffy rooms when you can own a home of your own among pleasant neighbors where property is steadily and surely advancing in value, and raise your own fruits, vegetables, poultry, etc.?

The price is only
$300
for a quarter-acre lot.
Go and see the property today.
Free car tickets and maps at my office.
EMIL FIRTH (OWNER.)
215 S. Broadway, 411-417 Laughlin Bldg.
Phones Home 3105, Main 2542.

FOR SALE—
3 ACRES IN CITY LIMITS, S.W.
A fine home and big investment; must be sold; owner sick and compelled to leave the city.
MARTIN & ARMSTRONG,
601 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
2 Fourth and Spring sts.

FOR SALE — 50-FT. LOT ON CENTRAL just south of the million-dollar Union Depot for $200 less than the market value; owner wants cash. 100 feet on Ceres ave., just south of Fifth st., with planing mill plant all for $20 000; shrewd investors take notice. BROADWAY LAND CO., 327 Byrne, Home 950. 2

FOR SALE—
CHEAP!!! LOT IN THE SOUTHWEST.
2 BLOCKS WEST OF VERMONT AVE., ON 37TH STREET.
40x126. ONLY $650.
STREET WORK DONE.
TYLER & COMPANY,
2 208 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—GOOD SNAP BARGAINS—
$1,500—5-room house; city water; cement walk; near Echo Park.
$1000—165x150, corner on Lake Shore.
$1200—Fine corner lot on South Park ave.
$750—4 acres fronting on Lake Shore ave., near Echo Park.
2 BAIERSKY & CO., 232 W. 1st.

FOR SALE — SALT LAKE ROAD WILL soon be running; for city lots and State lands in Southern Nevada, with water, at $1.25 per foot, also 5-acre snaps in the Muddy and Vegas valleys, see J. P. M'PHERSON, 403 Stimson Blk., corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—
W. G. NEVIN TRACT,
74x175. PRICE $1300.
Absolutely the only lot in the tract under $2000; finely located, beautiful view of mountains.
W. W. THAYER, 411 JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—$400, FINE BUILDING LOTS, all covered with fruit trees in full bearing, cement curbs and sidewalks, streets oiled or graded; 56th and Figueroa, streets; ¼ cash. Your last chance to buy a fine home lot for so little money. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE — FOR QUICK SALE, PICO Heights, Commandia ave.; vacant lot, 60x180, east side on slope south of 11th; fine location; grand views; title guaranteed; best offer over $750 takes it; deal must be closed this week. Address J, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — $10 A FRONT FOOT, LOTS with beautiful fruit trees in full bearing; make fine homes, in Figueroa Park tract, 53d and 56th st.; cement curb, sidewalk, street graded and oiled; cash. Go and see WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — GOING EAST AND NEED money; will sacrifice four well-located lots for $700; adjoining lots selling for $2400; high-class neighborhood; all street improvements made. Write E. L. KIRKPATRICK, 426 Ruth ave. 2

FOR SALE—NEED MONEY; WILL SELL 2 large and well located lots on Figueroa st. for $2000; two adjoining lots selling for $2800; all street improvements completed. Write MISS T. MURPHY, Moore Cliff Hotel, 122 E. 3d st. 2

FOR SALE — $350; FINE BUILDING LOTS, all covered with fruit trees in full bearing; cement curbs and sidewalks; streets oiled and graded; 36th and Compton avenue. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—GOOD LOTS, CLOSE IN, along Sunset boulevard, and along Elysian Heights car line, $200 to $400; good investments for home or speculation. F. H. PRESTON, sole agent, 404-5 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—PICO HEIGHTS LOTS; CORner lot, W. 12th and Cahuenga st., $750; east front lot on Harvard boulevard, $400, on terms. ARTHUR W. CLEAVER, 501-502 Pacific Electric Bldg. 'Phone Home 3262. 2

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOTS FOR HOMES. Highland View tract; most sightly lots in city; will double in value in a few months. I. H. PRESTON, owner, 403 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
THE TRACT FOR HEALTH.

FOREST HEIGHTS.
FOREST HEIGHTS.

A beautiful, elevated, park-like tract on one car line and only three minutes' walk from two others. As near to business center as 16th st. Surrounded by stately old trees. Fine view of mountains and city.

$250 AND UP.
$250 AND UP.

$25 CASH, $10 PER MONTH.
$25 CASH, $10 PER MONTH.

INCLUDING STREET WORK AND CEMENT SIDEWALKS.

Take Brooklyn-ave. car north on Main st. north of Fifth st., or call on

STONE & BLADES,
117-118 Henne Bldg., 122 W. Third.
Home 'Phone 3171. Sunset Main 5066. 2

FOR SALE—
BIG SNAP.

S.W.—CORNER WILSHIRE BLVD.—S.W. AND CARONDELET ST.
162x136 TO ALLEY.

FOR A MAN OF MEANS THIS IS THE CREAM OF LOS ANGELES RESIDENCE LOTS.

TAKE A LOOK AT IT, THEN CALL AND SEE US.
SOLE AGENTS.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
223 S. HILL ST. 12

FOR SALE—
Out on the high ground in the Wilshire district; west of Westlake Park, between Sixth and Seventh sts. I own a beautiful residence lot and to raise some quick money will sell cheap.

AGENTS NOT WANTED.

Address OWNER, K, box 113, Times Office. 3

FOR SALE—
GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY,
No. 421 S. Spring st.

$250—
Lots in the new KELLAR TRACT on E. Vernon, $250 and upwards. Lots 50x150 feet front and 175 to 180 feet deep, street graded, etc.; water all in; ¼ down, balance easy.

$500—
Lot 16th and Central, easy payments.

Lots in the Turner tract, 24th and Normandie; best neighborhood, building restrictions, no flats, no stores, choicest residence section.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY,

FOR SALE—
CHAS. S. MANN'S
MELROSE AVENUE TRACT,
LOCATED IN BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD SECTION.

Large, level lots, 50, 60 and 100 feet front by 166.23 feet deep, with cement curbs, gravel sidewalks, water mains. Prices $300 up. Positively the lowest prices and the best terms offered on this class of property. Take Colegrove car to Western ave., where our branch office is located. Representative always at the office. Don't fail to investigate. CHAS. S. MANN, 215 W. Fourth st. Home 'Phone 4171.

FOR SALE—
"WE SELL THE HILLS."

Easy terms, $10 down and $10 monthly; pay $10 down and move onto your own lot. Save rent.

We offer fifty choice lots in the Bellevue Avenue tract at prices ranging from $200 to $250 on $10 monthly payments. Cheapest lots in the city of Los Angeles. In the beautiful northwest; close in, almost walking distance; 2 car lines; water piped in front of every lot; title perfect.

RANNELLS LAND CO., 127 N. Main, or take Hollywood car to Alvarado st. and Sunset blvd.

FOR SALE—
$3000—24th, near Ridge's home ..50x133.
$3000—Normandie, south of Adams 50x150.
$3250—Brighton, fine lot .....50x148.
$3850—Harvard, close to Adams ..50x150.
$2000—Normandie, south of Adams 50x150.
$2000—La Salle, near Adams .....50x148.
$3850—Halldale, south of Adams...50x148.
$2050—E. front, Harvard nr. Adams 50x123
$1050—Cor. Halldale, S. of Adams 50x150
$1200— Corner on Halldale .....50x148.
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CHANDLER BROS.,
224 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway. 4

FOR SALE—
Lot, 41st, near Figueroa $675
2 lots, Cordova, near Normandie $750
1 lot, 22nd, near Congress.....$750
2 lots, 41st, near South Park ave. ..$500
1 lot, Lenox, near 16th. $1000
1 lot, Rexbury, near Harvard ave. ..$975
Half-acre plots overlooking the full-bearing orange trees, graded streets, $500; near car line. See

GEO. W. WILLIAMS CO.,
402 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$525—Wall st.; 40-ft. lot; a snap; terms.
$2375—W. Third, near Bixel; 50-ft. lot; worth $2500; 5 minutes' walk of Broadway; will guarantee to sell it for $2750.
$3000—Business lot, ocean front, at Long Beach; it will double in value in less than one year.

CARDWELL & TRUBY,
519 Grant Building, 4th and B'way.

FOR SALE—
—$1275—
KINNEY HEIGHTS. KINNEY HEIGHTS.

SOUTH FRONT ON 23D, BETWEEN CIMARRON AND ARLINGTON, 50x150 TO ALLEY. THIS IS THE BEST BUY ON THE WEST ADAMS HILL.

HERON & DE LA VERGNE,
3 336 GRANT BLDG.

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS OFFERS THE southwest corner of Cason and Kane streets, looks down Kane street east front at $5 a front foot which is less than price of adjacent inside lots, one-fourth cash, $10 a month, 49.14 feet, act promptly, as it will soon be taken, other lots for sale in this and other tracts. M. L. WICKS, 128 Hellman Bldg., Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
FIVE BIG SNAPS.

$850—Near Union and Harvard.
$1000—72x125, fine corner.
$1800—50x150, 23d near Union.
$2000—50x150, Ocean ave., near Alvarado.
$1100—50x150, near Harvard and 16th.
M. M. DAVISON & SON, rooms 204-205 Wilcox Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—A GOOD LOT, SOUTH FRONT, 50x165, all street work done; for $450; $100 down; balance on easy payments. GEORGE M'LAUGHLIN, 842-843 Huntington Bldg., 6th and Main.

FOR SALE—$1500; 62x180; NOTHING BETter in Highland Park or Garvanza than this east front corner on Ave. 66; two block from car. WM. N. HOLWAY, 220 Grant Bldg. 3

FOR SALE — $1000; MAGNIFICENT CORner, 64 feet, southwest on high ground, commanding location for a very fine residence, and a bargain; net lot 64 feet, $1500. T. WIESENDANGER, Laughlin Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—S. W. BARGAINS—
$875 to $1000; fine residence lots.
$1250 to $3000; fine investment lots.
COLE & CO., Washington and Vermont ave.

FOR SALE — A SNAP; $1100 FOR A FINE corner in the southwest, 57 feet frontage, close in, near 16th and Lennox ave. Apply CHARLES M'KENZIE, 409 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—SNAP; INCOME $150 MONTH. 8 modern flats, 2 buildings; lot 50x130, facing 2 streets; west Main, south Third; walking distance, $13,500; ¼ cash. LEE, 117 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — CORNER LOT NEAR CENtral ave. and First st.; 100x150; income $2000 a year; price $12,000. Apply J. M. DUNLEA, 327 Grant Bldg., 'phone 2795. 2

FOR SALE—A GOOD BUSINESS CORNER on car line; size 50x145 to alley; street all done; ripe for business; price $1500. O. SASSAMAN, 2209 S. Main.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
MAIN ST.

BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH STS.
LOCATED JUST NORTH OF 8TH ST.
ON THE EAST SIDE OF MAIN ST.
A GRAND PIECE OF PROPERTY BRINGING IN A SPLENDID REVENUE.
SITUATED WHERE THE GREATEST ADVANCE IN RENTALS AND VALUES ARE COMING.
AN ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN INVESTMENT.
WHICH ALWAYS MAKES THE BEST SPECULATION.
THE ONLY PIECE LEFT
IN THE VICINITY.
AT FORMER PRICES.
WE KNOW THAT WE CAN RE-SELL THIS PROPERTY
BEFORE THE WINTER IS OVER FOR A PROFIT OF AT LEAST
$25,000.
WE WILL STAKE OUR REPUTATION ON THIS PROPERTY.
IF INTERESTED IN A PURCHASE OF THIS KIND
PLEASE CALL AT OUR OFFICE FOR FULL PARTICULARS.
WE HAVE A NUMBER OF OTHER GOOD INVESTMENTS ON
BROADWAY,
SPRING
AND
MAIN STS.
THAT WILL BEAR THE CLOSEST INVESTIGATION.
ALSO CAN OFFER
MANY SMALLER PROPERTIES, RANGING FROM
$10,000
TO
$20,000.
PAYING GOOD RATES OF INTEREST, AND WHICH CAN BE
TURNED AT A PROFIT
IN A SHORT TIME.

R. A. ROWAN & CO.,
200 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

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FOR SALE—
PAYING FLATS

NEAR ARCADE DEPOT.

FINE LOCATION BET. 7TH AND 8TH
NEAR CENTRAL AVE.
VALUES RAPIDLY INCREASING.
LOT 46x115.
NEW BUILDING
OF FOUR ROOMS.

ALL FOR $1900.

INCOME OVER $800.

MINES & PARISH,
315 S. HILL ST.
(GROUND FLOOR.) 2

FOR SALE—
—TODAY—
WE ARE OFFERING A "BARGAIN"
—IN A CORNER LOT—
ON PICO ST.—PICO ST.
—65x150—
BETWEEN MAIN ST. AND GRAND AVE.
ONE-HALF OF LOT IMPROVED WITH
—BUSINESS BLOCK—
—PAYING—
—A RENTAL OF $115 PER MONTH—
CERTAINLY A GOOD RATE OF
—INTEREST—
—UPON YOUR INVESTMENT—
WHILE PROPERTY IS RAPIDLY INCREASING
—IN VALUE—
—PICO ST. IS A PAVED STREET—
—AND THE BEST BUSINESS STREET
—RUNNING EAST AND WEST—
IMPROVE THE OTHER HALF OF THIS LOT
—AND DOUBLE YOUR INCOME—
—IT'S A BARGAIN—
"AND WE KNOW IT."

PRICE $16,000. MINES & PARISH,
3 315 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—
BARGAIN HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE.

Fremont ave., 35 feet from First street, 4 modern 5-room flats.
Rents $64 per month.
'Phone 2559. S. F. JOHNSON, 315 Laughlin Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—
$2500 buys one of the finest corners on Santa Fe ave., near Seventh st.; 3 lots, 130x140 to alley; this is absolutely a snap; I have them for a short time only; you had better look this up, for it will surely make you money.

R. A. COLLINS,
2 315 and 317 Byrne.

FOR SALE—"DOUBLE HEADER." 50 FEET on E. First, only 5 blocks from Main; only 50 feet from the new home of the Union Hardware Co.; $14,000 will buy this property for a few days. Remember, it has 2 cheap buildings and 2 fronts on 2 streets; an ideal. We have from $1000 to $75,000 to loan on real estate, stock and bonds. LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., 145 S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—
$9000
$9000
$9000
A 21-ROOM APARTMENT-HOUSE.
Income $135 per month, near Ninth and San Pedro sts.; ¼ cash; large lot.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
L. A. R. B. 440 Douglas Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN IN CENTRAL ave. frontage; will very soon be wanted for business; now occupied by dwelling; rents for $30 per month. If you want something good see us about this.

U. L. DIKE INVESTMENT CO. (INC.)
223 Mason Bldg., 4th & B'way. Black 1468. 2

FOR SALE — $4350; ONLY FOR THIS week; corner on Fourth and Towne; heart of the boom section; building cost $5000; inside lot held at $7500; values increasing rapidly; will double easily inside of the year; must have money. H. JONES, room 220, 218 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTIES, ALL over the city; also flats and apartment-houses, double houses, hotels, etc.; subdivisions from $5000 up. WRIGHT & CO., 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg., Fourth and Spring Main 4068. Home 5227.

FOR SALE—FOR INVESTMENT IN REAL estate, netting 10 per cent. and more.

Home 'Phone 2242. F. H. BROOKS & CO., 215 and 216 Currier Bldg. 212 W. Third st. L. A. Realty Board. 2

FOR SALE — FINE BUSINESS CORNER for warehouse purposes on Alameda and 9th st.; 99x120; railroad frontage together with buildings thereon will be sold for $9000. THOS. J. HAMPTON, 119 S. Broadway, L. A. R. B. 2

FOR SALE — $22,000; A CHOICE INVESTment in well located business property in this city; annual income 16 per cent; not on investment; 5-year guaranteed lease. F. P. FROST, 1142 W. 24th st. Home 'phone 21079. 5

FOR SALE—
KOHLER ST., $2000.
Can't be duplicated for the price on the street; modern cottage, rented for $20 a month. W. CHANDLER,
2 222 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring.

FOR SALE—$20,000. IMPROVED CORNER on Hill, income $225 per month.
$7500—Close in on Los Angeles sts., lot 50x125; 5-room house, good bargain. See A. E. WOODWARD, 501-3 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—$6500; A CLOSE-IN SNAP, ON Clay st., between Third and Fourth, improved with a 15-room building, which rents for $60 per month; this will not last long. Sole agents, GEORGE & LONGE, 602 Braly Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—CENTRAL AVE., STORE AND flats; 4 flats and store buildings; lot 40x180, double frontage; rents $960 per year. Central ave., near Ninth st.
MAY REALTY CO., 119 S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
CENTRAL AVE. CENTRAL AVE.

DO YOU KNOW
that Central ave. is to Los Angeles what Halsted st. is to Chicago? Do you know you can double your money in six months on Central ave.?

DO YOU KNOW
you are holding your hands in your pocket, telling the other fellow what you could have done if you had bought six months ago?

DO YOU KNOW
there is a chance to tell the other fellow what you did do six months from now?

DO YOU KNOW
I have a corner on Central ave., between Adams and Washington, on the clean side of the street, that I am offering at the ridiculous low figure of $7000?

DO YOU KNOW
that corners like mine are held at $10,000 in the immediate neighborhood?

DO YOU KNOW
that this is placed on the market at this price for a quick turn? This corner is 100x150 to 20-foot alley, and is the best and cheapest buy on Central ave. today. Address OWNER, 1310½ E. Ninth st. Boesch. 5

FOR SALE—
ON SECOND STREET!
RIGHT IN THE LIVELY SECTION.

We have one of the BEST things—one of the biggest bargains—on this street. Improved property, bringing a good income.

You can get it this week for $10,000—only $4000 cash required—and you can TURN IT AGAIN IN 60 DAYS and make a CLEAR $2000 PROFIT! We can demonstrate this by facts and figures. It won't keep long, so ACT PROMPTLY.

A GRAND AVE. OPPORTUNITY.

We have a 50-foot lot, west side of street, near business center, ripe for improvement, that we will sell for $18,000, and accept as part pay a good lot, worth $6000 to $7000, close in, and suitable for apartments. Less than $2000 cash required. If you have a good lot, or if you want a SPLENDID PIECE of Grand-ave. BUSINESS property, look this up.

I. M. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
Home 1522. 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—
SOUTHEAST CORNER
SIXTH AND LOOMIS.
—122x120—
Will divide to suit.
$125 front foot.
Excellent apartment site.
Good investment.
Cheap.

CRIPPEN INVESTMENT CO.,
406 Mason Bldg.
S.E. cor. Fourth and Broadway.
'Phones Main 2253, Home 1257.

FOR SALE—
PAYING FLATS

NEAR ARCADE DEPOT.

FINE LOCATION BET. 7TH AND 8TH
NEAR CENTRAL AVE.
VALUES RAPIDLY INCREASING.
LOT 46x115.
NEW BUILDING
OF FOUR ROOMS.

ALL FOR $1900.

INCOME OVER $800.

MINES & PARISH,
315 S. HILL ST.
(GROUND FLOOR.) 2

FOR SALE—$17,500—S.E. corner Wall and Boyd sts., 50x114, alley; closest-in corner for the money.

$8000—50x120, west side Hill st., 200 feet south of Pico st.

$6500—424 E. 21st st., 14 rooms, 50x120, fine building.

$6000—New residence 12 rooms, hardwood floors, 1318 Lenox ave.

$5750—New residence 8 rooms, 1631 Roosevelt ave.

$4750—New residence 8 rooms, 1629 Roosevelt ave.

T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 15

FOR SALE—
EAST FIRST STREET.
50x135½, ON NORTH SIDE FOR
$11,000.
THIS IS $20 PER FOOT LESS THAN ANY OTHER LOT BETWEEN ALAMEDA AND CENTER.

BANNING STREET.
HAVE 120 FEET ON SOUTH SIDE AT $300 PER FOOT.

MAIN 1273. STRONG & DICKINSON.
HOME 1273. 125 S. BROADWAY. 2

FOR SALE—
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
223 South Hill street.
—$2650—
Look at this on E. First street; good 5-room cottage and storeroom, adjoining, paying big interest on the money. Don't forget its E. First street.
"THAT'S THE PLACE."
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
5 223 S. Hill street.

FOR SALE—
STORE BUILDING.
$4000—New store building; 2 large rooms upstairs with bath; corner lot; fine location, southeast; occupied for grocery purposes; this is a sacrifice price. Owner says, "Sell." Electric car line to go in on this street soon; get in before this improvement is made.

THE ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
Both 'Phones 2231. 508 S. Broadway.
Members L. A. Realty Board. 2

FOR SALE—BIG SNAP BARGAINS.
$2700—$4700—$3700—
Southwest corner 16th and Griffith ave., 51x140 feet to alley, 6-room new modern cottage; fine location for stores and flats, $1700 cash, balance 2 years; shows price for few days only; owner is forced to sell.
$6700—flats, new, modern; rent $72 a month; lot 50x125; choice location near 10th and Figueroa, worth $7500; must be sold.
$4250—6 rooms, modern, 42x145 to alley, Central ave., close in; part cash.
2 BAIERSKY & CO., 232 W. 1st.

FOR SALE—THAT LOT ON E. FIRST ST., which we advertised yesterday, we sold in the afternoon; the other one, E. First near Vignes, with stores rented for $100 per month, for $13,000, will sell today. Do you want it? You'll have to hurry.
WHITCOMB-GIBSON CO., Laughlin Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—
Closest-in corner for the price.

S.E. corner Wall and Boyd sts.

50x114 to alley, $17,500.

Ripe for brick block.

Closest-in corner for the price; will increase fast in value.

I. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE INVESTMENT, $16,000; 12 flats, 4 rooms each, new and modern; rent $200 a month; northeast corner of Sentous and Girard sts.; also $9000, 17x142 to alley; the N.W. corner of Griffith and 17th, 4-room cottage, fine for stores and flats, $1300, 120x100, fine corner for a hotel site near Seventh and Figueroa; $2600, 52x174, Washington near Figueroa, fine for stores and flats; this is a snap. LEUSCHNER & CO., 702 S. Spring, room 204. 3565. 4

FOR SALE—
WEST PICO STREET.
A valuable property with 60 feet frontage, between Main and Grand ave., with two-story house, barn, etc. Price $12,000.
A fine corner for business block, best part of Pico Heights; 61x136, with 5-room cottage; price $6500.
Several inside lots bet. Valencia and Alvarado.
2 G. C. EDWARDS, 200 W. First st.

FOR SALE—CENTRAL AVE.
CENTRAL AND FIFTEENTH.
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$65 front foot if sold this week; 97½x149½; cheapest large frontage on the street. Good as corner and other corners, being improved, work begun yesterday on new car line, center of industrial district; this is a great snap. Office, Home 2220; residence, 24475; W. L. JONES, Sole Agent, 204 Wilcox Annex, 213 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—
—$4000—
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—$4000—
Reader! A good buy is offered on Towne ave., between 6th and 7th sts. 2 flats, 5 rooms each; rents $40 per month; must sell at once. It is cheap and well located.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
2 440 Douglas Building.

CONTRACTORS—
And Builders.

I WANT A HOUSE BUILT.
Worth about $3500, and want to pay for same, a ranch worth $3000, and one that will pay interest on that amount. HILLIKER, 214 Fort Moore Place. 2

FOR SALE—
Flats.

FOR SALE—
Two-flat building on 8th st., near Figueroa, $3000.
Large house and 100-foot corner, Grand ave., $12,000.
These properties are only partly improved but net over 7 per cent. now and are bargains; ½ cash will handle them, but no trades.
Also have fine Westlake residences, $7000, $8000, $12,000, $14,000, and a fine, new, 6-room bungalow only $3500; can make terms; some trade. JOE E. HARVEY or J. A. MOORE, 346 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE — $25,000; MY FLAT, 1542½-1546½ W. Seventh, consisting of 6 flats of 44 rooms; new, modern, pressed-brick and plate-glass front; these flats are leased for 2 years at $3900 per year; about $9000 cash will handle this property. Call or 'phone J. W. HYLAND, Home 1467. 2

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—
CORWIN WILSON & THOMPSON.
MAIN 312—TELEPHONE—HOME 1702.
408-409 BRYSON BUILDING.
CORNER SECOND AND SPRING STS.

HOTELS.

50-room commercial hotel, located in a good town of 2500 population; owner leaving the State and is offering it for $5000.

47-room commercial hotel in a first-class town; furniture and 4 years' lease for $3700; this is a good buy.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring Sts.

LODGING-HOUSE SACRIFICE.

48 rooms of extra fine furniture, 3 years' lease; place is clearing $250 to $400 per mo.; as other places sell, this is worth at least $6500, but c account sickness, $5000 buys it.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring Sts.

35 ROOMS, EASY TERMS.

New furniture, new place, 3 years' leases, full of roomers; price reduced from $3500 down to $2800, including 2 months' rent paid in advance; terms, $400 cash, and balance at 8 per cent. interest per annum.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring Sts.

21-ROOM HOUSE, $1500.

Located close in, on Third st., fine furniture; big transient trade; clearing $200 per month; 8-room house clearing $45 per month; price only $950; very cheap.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring Sts.

SNAP—14-ROOM HOUSE—SNAP.

This is a right good place very close in and will make you good money; owners want to sell this week and will not refuse any reasonable offer; easy terms here.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring Sts.

11-ROOM TRANSIENT FLAT.

Right close to Fourth and Main, fine furniture; choice location and making all kinds of money; this is a genuine good thing.
408 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring sts.

PARTLY FURNISHED PLACE.

34 rooms, nicely furnished, and 20 rooms (new,) unfurnished; 4 years' lease; owner will sell very cheap this week; a bargain.

CORWIN, WILSON & THOMPSON.
408 BRYSON BLOCK.
SECOND AND SPRING STS.

FOR SALE—
A FEW SPECIAL BARGAINS.

$4500 for 45 rooms; strictly modern, with running water in all rooms; a fine new east-front building; newly and elegantly furnished; will give 5-year lease at reasonable rent.

$4200 for 50 rooms, a good business house, very centrally located, with 2 years' lease at $125.

$3000 for 24 rooms, finely furnished, all new and modern, running water in rooms, etc.; good lease and fine location; a snap.

$1300 for 15 rooms, very centrally located; will add 12 more rooms later if desired.

$400 for 8 rooms within 2 blocks of Third and Hill; rent only $35; a big snap. Buy this and save rent and car fare.

A. W. ROSS, 420 Bradbury Bldg., L. A. R. B. 2 S.E. cor. Broadway and Third.

FOR SALE—
Neat 44-room hotel, near Arcade depot, clearing $140 per month; price $2800.
40-room hotel and restaurant, near Arcade depot, clearing $400 per month; price $7500.
7-room, neatly furnished flat; Flower st., rent $37.50; a great bargain at $280.
42 neat rooms, near City Hall; profits $190 per month; price $7500.
Rooming-house, near Arcade depot, clearing $80 per month throughout the year. This is a clean place, with 3 years' lease and is a bargain.
See us for bargains.
THOMAS BROS. & METCALF,
2 316 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE OF a 24-room housekeeping rooming-house, price $1650; rent $65 per month, water free, lights 50 cents; receipts $190 per month, 3 to 4 required; roomers take care of their own rooms and pay their gas; lease one year with the privilege of two more; rooms all full, now and steady roomers; no room facing north; above price is one-third less than former price; owner going to Las Vegas; has chickens, sisters, two storage lofts, good cellar; furniture and piano new about two years ago. For location, etc., Phone WEST 1069. 2

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE LEADING FAMily hotels in San Francisco. Has the most select patronage. Modern in every detail. Magnificent furnishings. Contains 82 rooms. Capital required $65,000 to $70,000. Splendid opportunity. Lease has 8 years to run. Write or apply to SONNTAG BROS., Real Estate Agents, 222 Montgomery st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE — CENTRALLY LOCATED rooming-house; 25 rooms; elegantly furnished; fine building; owner, a nice lady, would like to exchange for a cottage at any of the beach towns; would consider Redlands; owner will assume difference in cash to effect trade. Address N, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — FOR ROOMING-HOUSES OR HOTELS, SEE US; WE HAVE THE LARGEST LIST IN THE CITY AND CERTAINLY CAN SUIT YOU IN ANY SIZED HOUSE YOU WANT AND LOAN YOU THE MONEY AT 8 PER CENT. CHAS. LANGE & CO., 131 S. BROADWAY. PHONE 2119. 3

FOR SALE—
16-room house, Hill near 4th, $350.
10 rooms, Hill and 7th, $400.
20 rooms, Hope and Second, $1500.
Call room 412, Chamber of Commerce Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — APARTMENT HOUSE OF 100 rooms, completely furnished; steam heat; hot water, electric light, elevator; must sell at once on account of sickness; will exchange for part real estate. Address J, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, CENTRAL; located; all modern conveniences; rent always occupied; yielding owner a nice income; am going East; will sacrifice property to close. Address N, box 164, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — IN THE HEART OF THE city, the swellest rooming-house proposition in Los Angeles; owner going abroad; this is genuine high-grade bargain and should be seen to be appreciated. 221½ W. FOURTH ST.

FOR SALE—15-ROOM HOUSE, ALL HOUSEkeeping; no work for landlady; a nice home and income; rooms all rented to permanent people; everything new and modern; $650 cash takes everything. 'PHONE MAIN 4126.

FOR SALE—MOST ELEGANTLY FURnished 24-room lodging-house in city; must sell or exchange this week; a bargain for the right party. W. M. STURGEON, Sole Agent, Home 1218, 104 Henne Blk.

FOR SALE — 50 ROOMS LODGING-HOUSE on E. Seventh st.; price $4000; cash $2000, balance on time; lease 2 years; rent $150 per month; furniture new. 'Phone Home 1826, Main 1216. 214 WILSON BLK.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF SEVEN rooms, large reception hall, fine hill location, close in; parties leaving city; will sacrifice at $375. A. B. SALISBURY, 547 Douglas Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — FINELY LOCATED 16-ROOM house; everything nice and clean; rent from 2 rooms pays house rent; owner has 2 houses; will sell on easy terms. 209½ W. FOURTH ST.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE 10-ROOM MODern house; homelike, neat and clean; fine beds; walking distance; house full; part cash. Particulars at 1129 S. GRAND AVE. 2

FOR SALE — $500; 12-ROOM CORNER house. Orange st., 1 block to Broadway; low rent; long lease. H. P. ERNST, room 306 Tajo Block, corner First and Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE OF FIFTY rooms, near Courthouse; rent $150; always full. For further particulars address OWNER, N, box 109, Times Office.

FOR SALE—$450; SPECIALLY GOOD; ELEgantly furnished modern seven-room flat, close in; four rooms rented for $27. J. C. OLIVER, 218 S. Broadway, room 227. 2

FOR SALE—$900; 15-ROOM HOUSE, WITH table board, close in, clearing $120 a month, always full. J. C. OLIVER, 218 S. Broadway, room 227.

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE BEST PAYING rooming-house in this city to trade for city property, or will sell for cash. FRANK KIRBY, 112 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, 8 NICELY furnished rooms, stable, cheap rent, close in; will sell cheap. 540 S. HOPE. 'Phone Black 541.

FOR SALE—$750; GREAT BARGAIN AND sacrifice, 21 rooms near Broadway and 4th sts. ALEXANDER RENTAL CO., 229 W. 4th st.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED 11-ROOM HOUSE, homelike, nice income, best location, must go. Address N, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 16 ROOMS, modern, new building; low rent; price reasonable; terms. 429 S. GRAND AVE. 4

FOR SALE — 15 ROOMS GOOD FURNIture; lease; low rent; a bargain. 236 S. BUNKER HILL. 5

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—$1500

Rooming-house, 20 rooms; good furniture; long lease; low rent; every convenience; 3 minutes from Broadway.

16 rooms new furniture; all outside rooms and rented; long lease; this very cheap and on the hill.

8 rooms, furniture; we have to go away; will sell for

—$325—

Apply
2 122 S. BUNKER HILL.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—

ACREAGE. ACREAGE.
ACREAGE. RANCHO DEL MAR. ACREAGE.

Right at the gateway of Ocean Park, where $1,000,000 is being spent in improvements. Do you know there is no investment so safe and as sure to increase in value as good acreage, near a popular beach town? Why buy a lot for $700 when you can buy an acre that will make six lots for less money? RANCHO DEL MAR Tract is all set to walnuts. We furnish you water free. All you want, 1 share of water stock with each acre of land. We have 30 H.P. engine, 12-inch well, pumping 75 inches of water. Others tax you they furnish abundance of water, but you have to pay for it. Remember when you make your purchase, that water is not only king, but it comes high when you have to buy it. L. A. Pacific R. R. between Rancho Del Mar and Ocean Park. Terms, one-quarter cash, balance monthly or quarterly, just as you like, 6 per cent. interest. Our representative is on the tract. Take L. A. Pacific via Palms, Fourth and Hill, or call on the undersigned, who will be pleased to answer any questions concerning tract.

CHAS. M'KENZIE & CO., Agents,

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE — SUBDIVISION 27 ACRES IN Redlands, south of University; reached by 5-cent fare; price $2500 an acre. 1 inch J. HAMPTON, 119 S. Broadway. 1

INGLEWOOD.

FOR SALE—GREAT SACRIFICE SALE. 9 LOTS (being over 6 acres;) NEW HOUSE (parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, pantry, bathroom, 2 porches and halls); BARN and CHICKEN YARDS; 600 ft. of CEMENT WALKS; CLOSE TO SANTA FE STATION. REDONDO ELECTRIC CAR LINE and STORES. FINE PEPPER TREES ON TWO SIDES OF THE BLOCK. LOTS ARE WORTH $200 EACH. MAKE $600 to $1000 by buying this fine home. Only $1500 buys it. TWO DELAY, BUT SEE IT AT ONCE. Part cash, balance easy terms, or exchange for good chicken ranches, large or small acreage, in or around Inglewood. W. G. BROWN, SOLE AGENT, INGLEWOOD.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—FORCED SALE. I will sell to the highest bidder, a 20-acre lemon grove situated near the foothills, 1¼ miles north of San Dimas, 28 miles east of Los Angeles, in the San Gabriel Valley, on the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe R.R., and but 300 yards from the proposed electric line to Riverside. The trees are, 10 years old, and have a power to price fruit; about 10 acres are Late Valencia oranges, and 10 acres Washington navels. A pumping plant is on the premises to supply the necessary irrigation water; it is mine. I offer 20 shares of water stock in the San Dimas Irrigation Co. with the property. The land is level, and the soil is alluvial loam. The location is absolutely free of frost and damaging winds. The property is in the best of care, and is under the highest state of cultivation; make me an offer. Full commission to agents. E. BEIL, FIFTH, 411-417 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE — AT RIALTO; FINE LEMON and orange; this is an exceptionally fine grove, paying over 20 per cent.; will be sold cheap for cash, or part cash, part time. J. CAMERON CO., 319 Laughlin Bldg. Home 3724.

FOR SALE — 7 ACRES WASHINGTON NAvels, 1000 boxes now on trees; soil sandy loam; water right; perfect title; will sell for cash or trade. J. D. CAMERON CO., 319 Laughlin Bldg. Home 3724.

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE — NEWPORT BEACH; NOW IS your Golden Opportunity for investment in choice electric car line lots, and prices are low. See H. C. SIGLER, 204 Potomac Bldg. 4

OCEAN PARK.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS IN OCEAN PARK property of all kinds; we can make you money. We are thoroughly posted on this town and know a good thing when it is to be had. Exchanges a specialty. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA REALTY CO. 126 Pier Ave., Ocean Park.

FOR SALE—IF WE ADVERTISE IT, IT'S a good thing; we offer 10 fine 5-room houses on Dudley and Thornton ave. that will pay 15 per cent. C. N. MCCAGE CO., Ocean Park Bank Bldg. 3

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Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — 6 PER CENT. FIRST mortgage to exchange for alfalfa land convenient to Los Angeles.

We have a client holding 4 per cent. first mortgage on country property; absolute security; who wishes to exchange same for Pomona land already planted to alfalfa; 5 to 10 acres up.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE — 68x150 FEET ON MAIN St., Rose Falls, S. D.; just north of Court-house; street paved and curbed; new cement sidewalk in front of lots; title perfect and clear of incumbrance; cost me $10,000; will exchange for Los Angeles or outside property. E. S. OMSLEY, 144½ Flower st., L. A.

FOR EXCHANGE — three section of land within 4 miles of Imperial, water stock fully paid up; will exchange for city property or acreage near the city. F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 604 Trust Bldg. Members L.A.R.B. 2

FOR EXCHANGE—WE MAKE A SPECIALty of exchanges; want larger list, city for country, California for eastern, anywhere, anywhere; list with us; send by mail; tell us what you want and we will find it. C. S. GEORGE & CO., 328 Mason Bldg., corner Spring and Broadway. 5

FOR EXCHANGE — OR FOR SALE; 5 room cottages; close in; only been built two years; lots, 50x125, and (the other fully as good) one 50x150; all for $4,000 cash. CAMERON CO., 319 Laughlin Bldg. Home 3724.

FOR EXCHANGE — 4 ACRES WASHINGTON navels, 1000 boxes now on trees; good soil; water right; perfect title; will sell for cash or trade. J. D. CAMERON CO., 319 Laughlin Bldg. Home 3724.

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FOR EXCHANGE — A BEAUTIFUL SUBurban home; 8 acres near line, of st. Louis; surrounded by the homes of millionaires; 98 acres of land, all clear; price $30,000; some stock and wants ranch property near the city. Address N, box 174, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE SEVERAL FIRST-class residences in Westlake district and one that can take trade on and time on the balance; new and strictly first-class. 326 E. HARVEY or J. A. MOORE, 246 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY IN MODERN 5-room cottage; $800; also $600 equity in two lots at Bell; want good lot for either or both pieces of property. Address 1263 W. 37th st., Phone West 3181. 2

FOR EXCHANGE — 20 ACRES OF FINE lemon orchard, full bearing; value $15,000; exchange for N.Y. State property; farm land preferred. C. D. DIKE INVESTMENT CO. (INC.) Room 310 Bldg., 4th & B'way. Black 1466. 2

FOR EXCHANGE— Lots a specialty of exchanging real estate; particularly California for eastern. J. L. A. CONWAY, Board 208-9 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO CLEAR LOTS IN Pasadena, value $1800; will exchange for equity in good house and lot in Los Angeles or vicinity. F. E. MASON, 734 E. Washington st.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT A CHICKEN ranch near Garvanza, in exchange for a 5-room house, close in; Los Angeles. See H. E. PRATT, 09 Laughlin Bldg. 2

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FOR EXCHANGE—12 LOTS IN SEATTLE, price $2400; will trade for Los Angeles or San Diego for same values. Address N, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL GIVE 160 ACRES for second as first payment on 6-room house; balance monthly; or for vacant lots. 154 E. 25TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE — ROOMING-HOUSE; furniture, nearly new; modern, close in; will exchange for city or country home. HOME 3667.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE EXCHANGE ANYthing, anywhere. Come and see us; we will pay you. DAVIS & ROUSE, 324 Byrne Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY OF $2000 IN 12 fine lots at Colegrove for home in Pasadena. WM. N. HOLWAY, 229 Grant Bldg. 2

FOR EXCHANGE — A GOOD-PAYING rooming-house for city property, or at the right price. Address N, box 182, TIMES OFFICE. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—HOLLYWOOD; CHOICEST lots for Westlake residence. GLOESSER, 734 Braly Bldg. Home 7065.

FOR EXCHANGE — A LARGE LIST OF fine and California property. F. M. BYRON & CO., 835 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—LOS ANGELES OR CALIfornia for eastern. Consult GORDON & CO., 334 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—WE WILL SELL OUR NEARly new $500 Emerson piano, mahogany case, largest size, for one-half price; first come, first served, as we need the money; otherwise we would not make the sacrifice. Address H, box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—OAK ¼ SOLES SEWED ON men's work shoes for 75c; ladies, 60c. FACTORY SHOE STORE, 606 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—MY PUMPING OUTFIT; GASOline engine, 25-H.P. Lombert, new, 12x12 air compressor, Cayton air and gasoline tanks, best circulating pump, pipes and batteries, etc.; will sell compressor and engine separately. Address BOX 5, Orange, Cal.

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FOR SALE—A FINE HIGH-GRADE PIANO, largest size, mahogany case, warranted 10 years, used only a short time; will sell at a big bargain and will arrange to suit monthly payments. Address H, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND billiard and pool tables; easy payments; we rent tables with privilege of buying; modern bar fixtures; cheap prices. BRUNSWICK-BLAKE-COLLENDER, 639 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—GOING EAST TOMORROW; AM short of funds; will sacrifice my home; 10 free and clear in San Diego for $75 for all of them; purchase price was $200. Address N, box 194, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE CHEAP; JEWEL GAS range and one gas heating radiator, both in good condition; must be sold this week. 829 WHITTIER ST., Home Phone 3826. 2

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; SAFE AND SHOW-case, fixtures, office chairs to let; quitting business; make me a bid, must sell. FRANK KIRBY, 122 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—GOOD JEWEL 3-BURNER GASOline stove, with oven, and reflector for coal-oil heater; very cheap. Call at 944 VALENCIA ST., before noon. 2

FOR SALE—FRUIT TREES, PALMS, ROSES, etc., of every description, by the FANCHER CREEK NURSERY, No. 727 S. Spring, main nursery, Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—A GOOD UPRIGHT MAHOGANY piano cheap, has never been used; will sell at great discount. Call or address MOON, 312 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—HOUSE TENT, 14x12, PARTItioned, lined throughout, cheap for cash. A. R. ANDERSON, 111 Normandie ave. 2

FOR SALE—3-H.P. MARINE STEAM ENgine; will sell for $30; have no use for it. 1038 W. SEVENTH ST. Home 5403.

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE, FOLDING BED, quartered oak dresser, fine rugs, and other furniture for sale cheap. 907 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—HAY! HAY! HAY! A-1 LOCAL alfalfa, $12 per ton, $13 per ton. F. H. BROOKS, 333 W. First. Phone Main 1412.

FOR SALE—WHITE IRON BED, SPRINGS and mattress, almost new; also Jewel gas range, large size. 138 W. 32D ST. 2

FOR SALE — WALL PAPER, MIXED paints; prices cut in two; overstocked. C. P. CO., 125 W. Main st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FUEL, APRICOT PIT shells, $3 ton, delivered. 809 EAST 22ND ST. Phone Pico 9872. 2

FOR SALE — MOVING PICTURE FILM; song slides; magic lanterns. 259 Montgomery st., S. F., Cal.

FOR SALE — MAKE OFFER 200 BOXES lemons on trees. Address N, box 193, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL BEHNING pianos, grand and upright. 1214 WEST 20TH ST.

FOR SALE—BUFFALO COAT IN GOOD condition. HENRY VIERTH, 513 Boston st.

FOR SALE — FIREPROOF SECOND-HAND safes, cheap. ANDERSON, 212 N. Main.

FOR SALE—4 MODERN SAFES CHEAP. Address A., J. box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SAFES, CHEAP; DAMAGED IN shipment. ANDERSON, 212 N. Main.

FOR SALE—MOTOR, ½-H.P. AND 2-H.P., cheap. 455 CERES AVE. 'Phone 3972.

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL HENRY F. MILler pianos, 1214 W. 20TH. 2

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—ROLL TOP DESK, STORE AND office fixtures, large iron box, 7 foot gas range, household furniture of every description. L. C. SKEELS, 907 S. Main st. Both Phones.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE 5-ROOM COTtage, nearly new, bedrooms, one rented; bath, instantaneous heater, lawn, back yard; rent $20; price $275. 234 OMAR AVE. 2

FOR SALE—ROLL-TOP DESK, COUNTERS, showcases, ice boxes; restaurant outfit; all kinds of house furnishings. L. C. SKEELS, 907 S. Main.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE; 3 OAK DRESSers, fine dining table and other furniture. 425½ S. Broadway, basement. GODDARD.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED 5-ROOM FLAT, A positive bargain if taken as it stands; no dealers. Apply 901 W. FIRST.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED HOUSE OF TEN sunny rooms, with lease, pleasant surroundings. 917 S. BROADWAY. 2

FOR SALE — NEW FURNITURE OF 4 rooms, complete for housekeeping; house for rent. 818 S. OLIVE.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE 7-ROOM FLAT; cheap; rent paid March 1st. Call 246 SOUTH GRAND AVE. 4

FOR SALE—SELLING OUT STOVES, BEDS, tables, chairs, crockery, tinware, etc. 311 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE, ETC.; ROOMS all rented; big income. 812 S. GRAND.

FOR SALE—GAS RANGES, FOLDING BEDS, rugs and furniture, cheap. 552 S. OLIVE.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; LARGE ROLL-TOP office desk. 340 WILCOX BLK. 2

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

SECOND-HAND STORE; ALL KINDS OF goods; old stands close; big bargain; $2000. L. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

A CHOICE GROCERY, ALL NEW GOODS, nice living-room furnished, bargain, $850. 2 L. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

$25 HANDLES CAFE IN SWELL HOTEL, furnished fine; no rent, best trade. HIVELY & CO., room 229, 107 S. Spring. 2

FOR SALE—GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO BUY 1200 pigeons, mated; squabs' nests and wire. Address N, box 162, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—WALL PAPER AND PAINT business, cheap; excellent chance. Address B, box 113, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — BAKERY ROUTE; HORSE, wagon and harness; strictest investigation. 1516 ESSEX ST., in rear. 4

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR BUSIness, see R. B. MASTERS & SON, 629 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE — MEAT MARKET; GREAT OPportunity for a hustler. Call and investigate. 2312 W. NINTH ST. 2

FOR SALE—¼ INTEREST IN PAYING BUSIness. Call 124 S. SPRING ST., mornings.

PARTY WISHING TO GET IN THE butcher business for $175. Call at 819 E. 27TH ST. 2

FOR SALE—A FAMILY GROCERY, FRESH stock, must be sold on account of going. 214 S. FIGUEROA.

FOR SALE—RESAURANT DOING FINE business; sell cheap. 531 CENTRAL AVE. 7

FOR SALE—TAILOR SHOP, GOOD TRADE. Address A., CHAMPAGNE, Fullerton, Cal. 4

I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. BROADWAY, WILL sell your business. Main 2321; Home 2322. 2

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—
A CHANCE IN
A THOUSAND
TO BUY
a grocery store that is up to date.
IT'S A CORNER STORE;
BEST LOCATION ON PICO STREET.
This is no advertising scheme to fool the public, but FACTS. Come see for yourself. Doing now over $10,000 cash business, which can be doubled and trebled in short time by good energetic business man. Owner of building wants good tenant. Can have long lease at low rent. This corner has a good reputation for miles around. Seeing is believing. Located at corner of Pico and Hoover streets.
F. E. WOODRUFF, Sole Agent, 2134 W. Pico.
'Phone 21181; West 1672.

FOR SALE—A GOOD PAYING AND WELLestablished grocery and general merchandise business of some 10 years' standing in a splendid corner on one of the best business streets in the city; in a thickly-settled and rapidly-growing community, where a constantly-increasing business can be built up if properly handled. I will sell stock at invoice and sell with delivery wagons and entire outfit and rent my store, barn, sheds, stables and outbuildings at a reasonable price; my only object in selling is need of rest; my good will goes with the business. Address J, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR SALE—
GROCERY STOCK.
$450 buys grocery stock and fixtures; rent reasonable; the owner has to make this sacrifice on account of sickness; this is a real snap and if you move slow, you won't get in on it.
THE ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
Both 'Phones 3231. 508 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — LARGEST RESTAURrant and bakery, doing a rushing business in one of the largest and most prosperous cities of Arizona; will take some money and balance in city or country property in Southern California. Address P. O. BOX 85, Tucson, Ariz. 5

MODERN DINING CAFE FOR SALE.

Price $2000; located near Arcade Depot; a money-maker; we have others, $200 to $4500. Sole agents.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., Ground floor, 218 W. Third.

MILLINERY AND NOTION STORE FOR sale.

Price $200; located in good residence part of city. See my agents.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., Ground floor, 218 W. Third.

WANTED — A MAN OF BUSINESS ABILity, ready to invest from $100 to $20,000; investigation will prove this opening most inviting and absolutely legitimate; references given and required. Call or address COAST EXCHANGE, 334 Byrne Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — SPLENDID PAYING VAriety at big sacrifice today; also sell half interest in splendid store, center city, for $400; also hotels, lodging-houses, manufacturing; other bargains $200 to $100,000. See PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE — GROCERY, CIGAR AND SOFT drink business; best family beach; corner store, new stock, superb location; cannot be excelled; invoices about $600; any reasonable cash offer takes it. OCEAN FRONT, corner Ashland, Ocean Park. 3

$2250 CASH BUYS MAIL-ORDER OFFICE business; will clear $25 weekly; profits 300 per cent.; rent $7.50; invoices $250. Experience unnecessary; fullest investigation; extraordinary opportunity. Come quick. Owner, 159 N. BROADWAY, room 208. 2

FOR SALE — POOLROOM PARLOR AND CIGAR STAND.
CAMPBELL & TRUBY,
Home 7373, Main 4178.
2 519 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—A CLEAN-CUT GROCERY BUSIness at the beach; a discount worthy of your consideration will be given; invoice about $2500. Address N, box 196, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A GOOD LUNCHROOM, GOOD for two partners or man and wife; keep open day and night, doing good business. See proprietors, 254 S. HILL. L. A. Cal. 4

FOR SALE — $250 BUYS A-1 JEWELRY business; manufacturing and plating machineries, etc., for only $650, on Spring st. Come quick. N. TREOSTI, 103 Court st. 2

FOR SALE — ADVERTISING PHYSICIAN'S office; static machine, galvano-faradic and other electric appliances; office completed on bonus for business. 411 GRANT BLDG. 2

FOR SALE — LEAVING THE CITY AND will sell our real estate office cheap; 2 desks, chairs, table typewriter, maps and list. Address K, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 2

HAVE A $17,000 INTEREST (CENTRAL) IN a country bank; cashiership goes with salary $150 month; good reasons for selling. Address J, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 2

$125; CIGAR STAND, GREAT BARGAIN, owner sick, must leave, in heart of city, receipts, $10 to $12 per day. ALEXANDER RENTAL CO., 329 W. 4th st. 2

FOR SALE—BAKERY AND LIGHT LUNCH, living-rooms, barn, brick oven, $200; going out of business on account of sickness. H. T. REDDICK, 253 Hoover st.

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$4500 WILL BUY A PAYING BUSINESS; orders on hand; stand clear $10,000 this year; little competition. J. M. DUNLEA, 522 Grant Bldg. 2

$1 FOR 1000 NICELY PRINTED BUSINESS cards; other printing in proportion. E. J. COE, 701 Cal. Tel. Home 7320, Main 2054, 121½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—CITY OIL ROUTE, 2 HORSES, tank wagon, cans, etc.; good opening for steady man. $450 cash. Address J, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—FINE PAYING CIGAR STAND; including cash register, good stock, good fixtures; price reasonable. 521 W. 6TH ST. 3

BREAD ROUTE; ONE OF THE BEST IN this city; fine trade and increasing; $250. 2 L. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—
Bakery, $1000; trade $25 a day.
Grocery, Spring st., $700.
Grocery, beach, trade $100 a day; invoice about $2500.
Country newspaper, $700 takes it.
Dry goods, city, $1000.
Meat market, S.W., $875.
And others. W. H. CHANDLER,
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LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES FINANCED.
Loans arranged by bond or mortgage.
Corporate stock or bond issue sold.
Life insurance policies purchased.
"Capital: How to Secure It."
ROBERT RUXTON,
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WANTED—BY A THOROUGH AND PRACtical foundryman, who is capable of introducing cost reducing system in labor and mixtures, fifteen years' experience, strictly temperate, and thirty-seven years of age, capable of handling either inside or outside work; moderate salary, and will invest $2000 to $10,000 if mutually agreeable. Address N, box 158, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR SALE—A LARGE CO-OPERATION capitalized for $50,000, has $15,000 of stock for sale; party owning is compelled to retire from active management of vice-president; wholesale retail business, doing a quarter million a year; will stand rigid investigation; wanted an active man to take stock with good salary attached. Address J, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — HALF INTEREST IN A specialty jobbing business; godos now established in the market and pay a handsome percentage of profit; man with experience in wholesale grocery business or as specialty salesman preferred; less than $10,000 required. Address N, box 153, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — LIVERY AND BOARDING stables; the best business and location of its kind in the city; price $2500; $700 or even cash, the balance your own terms or might consider real estate exchange; this will pay you $150 to $200 per month. See L. L. M'GREAL, 323 Bryson Blk., Second and Spring. 2

$850 CASH BUYS THIS PAYING OFFICE business; less than ¼ value; mahogany furniture, late city maps, large new list; most elegant furnished office in city; good business for one or two partners; must owner. 907-8 PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 6th and Main.

FOR SALE — MEAT MARKET; THE MOST complete and up-to-date market in this city; horse and wagon and all tools; cheap rent and good lease, running $70, 6 days in the week; if you want a meat market you need not go further. Telephone, Main 4169, Home 6804. Address N, box 148, TIMES OFFICE. 7

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Best location; long lease; 5 tables; modern fixtures; cigar stand; bargain price for quick sale; $1500.
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MONEY TO LOAN—

TO LOAN—MONEY, IN LARGE OR SMALL amounts, for long or short time, on first and second mortgage on real estate, or other good security; notes, mortgages, trust deeds, real estate contracts and all kinds of commercial paper bought. NOURSE & CO., 202 Trust Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—WE HAVE $85,000 TO loan on ranch, beach or city, 6 per cent.; private money; no waiting.
CAMPBELL & TRUBY,
Home 7373, Main 4178.
2 519 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

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MONEY TO LOAN—ON FIRST CLASS CITY PROPERTY. APPLY W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., SUITE 314-18 WILCOX BLDG.

MONEY LOANED ON DIAMONDS, WATCHes, jewelry, all kinds of personal property. We loan you more money, less interest, hold your goods longer than anyone; no commissions, appraisers or middlemen; private sale of unredeemed pledges; tickets issued. LEE BROS., 208 S. Main.

CASH CONFIDENTIALLY LOANED SALARied persons on note, without security or employer's knowledge; easy payments; no inquiries; lowest rates; hours 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 2 to 5 p.m. Evening, 6:30 to 7:30. COMMERCIAL DISCOUNT CO., 204 Frost Block.

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L. A. DIKE INSURANCE CO. (INC.)
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$500 to $50,000 to loan on real estate and other good securities; low rate of interest. Established 1888.
LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., 145 S. Broadway.

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TO LOAN — MONEY IN ANY AMOUNT from $100 to $10,000 at current rates of interest on real estate security. I build houses to order on easy terms. Home Phone 3011. W. L. TRUITT, 525 Douglas Bldg.

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TO LOAN—$600 TO $100,000 ON CITY REAL estate; low rate of interest, first mortgage security. T. R. WALLACE, 208 Braly Bldg. 'Phone Home 6626; Main 6622.

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LOANS PROMPTLY MADE ON REAL ESTate; moderate interest. GEO. S. HUPP, 25 Potomac Bldg., 217 S. Broadway.

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MONEY TO LOAN—READY MONEY ON city property; lowest rates. J. J. PHELPS, 216 Mason Opera House.

TO LOAN—$3500, MORE OR LESS, ON IMproved real estate. HARVEY or MOORE, 246 Bradbury Bldg.

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TO LOAN—PRIVATE FUNDS ON REAL ESTate. GORDON & HUBBARD, 462 Douglas.

MONEY TO LOAN—

$850,000 TO LOAN—
LOWEST RATES.
BUILDING LOANS A SPECIALTY.
APPLY TO
R. G. LUNT,
140 S. BROADWAY,
HELLMAN BLOCK.

MONEY WANTED—

WANTED—4 PER CENT. NET INTEREST, payable semi-annually on our paid-up stock; nothing better in the market; uniform satisfaction given for 6 years past; safe as government bonds; investigate; write for information to the PROTECTIVE SAVINGS BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, W. G. Hewett, secretary, 101 N. Broadway, L. A.

WANTED—MONEY; WANT $2500, 3 YEARS, improved ranch, North Glendale, 7 per cent. $700—3 years, 20 acres, Pasadena, 7 per cent. $2500—3 years, 8-room modern house, Magnolia ave., 7 per cent. MAXON REALTY CO., 114-115 Stimson Bldg.

WANTED — FROM $1200 TO $10,000 ON real estate at Compton; one first mortgage; safe investment; will bear thorough investigation. Address N, box 132, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — PRIVATE PARTIES WITH large or small sums to invest in first mortgages on real estate; exceptional opportunities. WATSON & CO., 322 Trust Bldg. 2

WANTED—WE HAVE SEVERAL PARTIES wanting loans; if you have money to loan, call and see us. WILSON & KELLEY, 410 Trust Bldg. 'Phone 4173. 3

WANTED—$1800 FOR ONE YEAR. WILL pay 12 per cent. interest, mortgage on new furniture and real estate. Address N, box 141, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — I WILL PLACE YOUR MONEY for you without expense on gilt-edge real estate. Home 'phone 3511. W. L. TRUITT, 525 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED — $1100; 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, on improved city; worth $2000; near Central and Seventh. BAIERSKY, 232 W. First. Home 423. 2

WANTED—MONEY 3 LOANS, $3000 EACH, 1 loan $2200, 3 years, 7 per cent., first-class security. INGRAM & BRIGGS, 302 Braly. 2

WANTED — $350 ON CLOSE-IN IMPROVED city income property; also $17,000. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 29

WANTED — $250 TO $20,000 ON CITY IN-come property. Use in. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 29

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Of the best local corporations.
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Before buying or selling

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Advertising Men.

The local members of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's Association held a monthly banquet at Levy's last night.

Wall Street Sale.

Robert Hale has purchased of L. R. Harris, 50x125 feet, with a six-room frame cottage, No. 612 Wall street; consideration named, about $10,000.

Rechristening of Bimini.

What is now known as Bimini Baths will hereafter be called Bimini Hot Soda Springs. Many improvements will soon be made, among them an open air swimming pool.

Candlemas Day.

This is Candlemas Day and special services will be held in all the Roman Catholic churches of the city, at which time candles will be blessed for use during the ensuing year.

Play of "Ramona."

The new play "Ramona" will be staged in this city February 27 and 28 and March 1, for the benefit of El Camino Real Association, and many seats have already been sold.

Caught in San Pedro.

W. H. Christie was arrested yesterday in San Pedro by Detectives Smith and Dixon and booked at the Police Station as a suspect. He is alleged to have stolen a watch and chain from a drunken man in a Main street saloon.

Crail Goes North.

An order of removal was issued in the United States District Court yesterday for the removal to Seattle of James B. Crail, who was arrested here on the charge of impersonating a Federal office in Washington. Crail was taken North last night.

Winter Class Will Banquet.

After the play of the winter class of the High School on Friday night, the entire class of fifty-five members will have a banquet. A programme of toasts and responses has been prepared, and the class president, Harry P. Goodwin, will act as toastmaster.

Killed by Live Wire.

Two horses driven by F. C. Hulbert, who is employed at his brother's meat market, were instantly killed at 8 o'clock last night by coming in contact with a live wire. The copper had broken and fallen across another wire carrying a heavy current of electricity and Hulbert drove into it.

Was Long a Fugitive.

S. F. Collins was arrested last evening by Detectives Craig and Steele on a charge of forgery. The alleged crime was committed on June 11 of last year and since then the officers have been on the lookout for Collins. He is said to have forged the name of Miss Emma Neuman of Hollywood to two checks aggregating $17 and to have cashed them at Los Angeles saloons.

Bankruptcy Petitions.

Fred D. Griffith, an attorney at law, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday, scheduling debts of $106,231 and assets of $62,635.82. Of the debts, $22,106 is in secured claims, $37,229 in unsecured claims, and $36,902 on notes and bills. The assets include bills, $15,950; stocks, $25,460; insurance policies, $13,000. Jessie B. Small, a Los Angeles music teacher, filed a petition showing debts of $382.19 and assets of $150.

Brokers Want Damages.

Action for the recovery of $4967.35 has been filed in the United States District Court by Dorr & Ray, stock brokers of Los Angeles and San Francisco, against Mrs. Lizzie Seibel and Henry Seibel, her husband, both of Los Angeles. The plaintiffs allege that the principal defendant, Mrs. Seibel, failed to accept and pay for certain shares of United States Steel stock for which she had bargained and that on another occasion she failed to deliver stocks she had agreed to sell. The suit also includes a claim for commissions in the buying and selling of grain.

January Building.

Last month Building Superintendent Backus issued 670 permits, for improvements aggregating $1,131,561, as against 516 permits, for improvements aggregating $875,744, in January, 1904; 486 permits, for improvements aggregating $1,908,455, in January, 1903; 236 permits, for improvements aggregating $506,302, in January, 1902; 147 permits, for improvements aggregating $159,109, in January, 1901, and 167 permits, for improvements aggregating $196,685, in January, 1900. The improvements undertaken last month include one four-story brick building, to cost $13,500; three three-story brick buildings, $88,300; seven two-story brick buildings, $76,310; ten single story brick buildings, $33,700; one three-story frame building, $53,710; seventy two-story frame buildings, $232,585; twenty-seven story and a half frame buildings, $47,880, and 374 single story frame buildings, $367,151.

BREVITIES.

British subjects are requested to send their addresses to the undersigned. All British-born persons owning property in California are earnestly advised to execute wills appointing resident executors. Forms gratis on application. Reasons for this advice can be obtained by communicating with C. White Mortimer, British Vice-Consul.

The ladies' rest room on the top floor of the new wing of The Times' Building, is open daily from 9 to 5. Ladies from town or country will find this a convenient place to write, rest or read. Stationery provided for correspondence. Both 'phones available. Take elevator in business office. All are welcome.

It pays to take care of your eyes! Best A1 crystal reading lenses in ten-year gold-filled frames for $1.50. Other dealers ask $3 to $5 for the same. Three graduate State-registered opticians in attendance. Clark's, 351 S. Spring, near Fourth street.

University of Southern California, second semester begins with new classes to meet requirements of students, who have completed the eighth grade in public schools.

Rehearsals for the Innes May Festival Chorus take place every Tuesday evening at 7:45 at Birkel's Hall, 345 S. Spring street. Applications of singers will be received there.

The Bundy Hot Springs Hotel at Elsinore, Riverside county, under management of Mr. Maxwell, is doing an excellent business.

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Will Mr. F. A. Staebler call at once at Mr. Wright's office, 454 Wilcox Building, and oblige his friend.

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Dine at Hotel Rosslyn today. Meals 25c, best in city. Tourists' headquarters 433 So. Main St.

Watch Pasadena column for Spanish dancers. Friday matinee February 3.

Occidental College; surveying class begins Feb. 6. 'Phone East 22.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for Waldo R. Simpson,

LUCKY YOUNG MAN'S SNAP.

Rock Island Magnate Gives Son Hundred Thousand for Birthday.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 1.—Nathaniel F. Moore is $100,000 richer today than he was yesterday. This was the twenty-first anniversary of his birthday, and he received the largest gift of the kind on record, from his father.

Young Moore arrived in Santa Barbara, from Chicago several weeks ago with his mother and has taken up his residence at the Dr. Thaw place in Montecito. He is a son of J. Hobart Moore, president and large owner of the Rock Island Railroad, who came here last week in his private car to remain several weeks with his family. When his son took his place at the breakfast table this morning, he found an envelope under his plate. Upon opening it he discovered a check for $100,000, signed by his father.

The attainment of young Moore's majority was not celebrated at the Moore home with any special observances, and the gift was given no greater prominence than if the youth had been presented with a new automobile, of which he already has a large number.

The Moores have spent several winters in this city, and the son of the wealthy railroad magnate has made many friends here. He has lately taken a prominent part in Montecito society, and has demonstrated unusual ability as a golfer on the Country Club greens.

Miss Edna Cummings, Miss Grace Dorman, C. C. Dibble, Will H. Lyman, William S. Crane, Success Engine Works, George L. Krueger, Nicola A. Cramowitz, John C. Scheick, William M. Resinger, Frederick Kropp, William Van Derhoff, Mrs. Amelia Baswitz, Scott H. Hodson, C. C. May, George L. Kraeger.

CONDITION UNCHANGED.

Physician Says Head Consul Falkenburg, of Woodmen of the World, Rests Comfortably.

The condition of F. A. Falkenburg, head consul for the Pacific Division of the Woodmen of the World, apparently remains unchanged. At a late hour last night word was received from the home of relatives with whom he and his family are staying, No. 1211 West Seventh street, that Dr. Brahnerd had authorized this announcement:

"Mr. Falkenburg is resting very comfortably tonight."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph Arnold, aged 28, a native of Pennsylvania, and Aline E. Price, aged 23, a native of Louisiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Francis McCarthy, aged 44, a native of Maryland, and Mary Hoffman, aged 44, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Ernest L. Yerxa, aged 24, a native of Minnesota, and resident of Minneapolis, and Katherine P. St. Johns, aged 24, a native of Iowa, and resident of Whittier.

Henry M. Woodward, aged 22, a native of California, and Margaret I. Lane, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Downey.

Arza B. Geer, aged 20, a native of Michigan, and resident of East Hollywood, and Myrtle B. Carter, aged 17, a native of California, and resident of Los Angeles.

John Wehrmann, aged 22, a native of Germany, and resident of Santa Monica, and Georgia Cripo, aged 18, a native of California, and resident of The Palms.

Robert C. Jones, aged 34, a native of Illinois, and Anna L. Mohan, aged 23, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Thomas L. Hunter, aged 28, a native of Missouri, and Anna Doherty, aged 24, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edwin Opdyke, aged 28, a native of New Jersey, and resident of Los Angeles, and Mary Williams, aged 22, a native of Nebraska, and resident of Nogales, Ariz.

Calvin Vance Anderson, aged 30, a native of Tennessee, and resident of Bakersfield, and Elizabeth Craig Alexander, aged 26, a native of Connecticut, and resident of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

MATSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Matson, 3534 South Flower, January 30, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD.

KENT—At San Pedro, January 31, Vera, youngest daughter of Thomas and Lulu Kent, 4 years.

VAN HORN—In this city, February 1, 1905, Washington Van Horn, of Chicago, Ill., aged 65 years. Shipment by the Orr & Hines Co., No. 647 South Broadway.

RANDALL—In this city, Foster H. Randall, a native of Rhode Island, aged 57 years. Funeral from the chapel of Orr & Hines Co., No. 647 South Broadway, today at 2 o'clock p.m.

GRIFFITH.—At residence in Hollywood, Jan. 31, 1905, Thomas H. Griffith. Funeral Feb. 2, at Peck & Chase Co.'s parlors, 11 o'clock a.m.

BROWN.—Robert Brown, aged 39, native of North Carolina. Body at Bresee Bros. Funeral notice later.

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February Clearance Sale
which wants to make to your measure any $35, $32.50 or $30 suit in our stock for $24.50; any $27.50, $25 or $22.50 suiting for $19.50.
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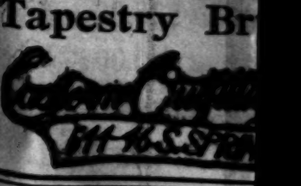
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[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

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New cities are being brought out here on flat cars and dumped off along the route. They are all custom-made. If a piece of one town should be lost or suffer disaster, it could be replaced from the factory.

Effete easterners, having seen their own villages creep up by slow inches through the long years, could not believe their eyes out here. Civilization is being squirted into the desert.

Landscapes, possibly never disturbed by the foot of man until the railroad engineers came, are sprouting dozens of new towns.

New towns are clinging to the rocks of the painted cañons; they are squatting in the desert, huddling before the sandstorms; they are thrown out and stick like burrs wherever they may light.

This sounds like a comic opera; it happens to be true.

When the towns get big enough, it is to be presumed that mayors and aldermen will be sent out in assorted sizes. Political bosses and political reformers might be handled on the circulating-library scheme, sent along from town to town as they are needed.

The little new towns are tended in their infancy by typical pioneers, who are as quaintly and charmingly humorous as the standard-size towns themselves.

There are men leaving civilization where the rain glints on the asphalt at night, where the orchestras play waltz music and women come in from the theaters with men in the glitter of white shirt fronts. They leave this for the desolate, aching wilderness. Leave trolley cars and rushing cabs for a hollow of the hills, a water tank, where the only sounds to break the dead stillness are a panting oil engine which sighs like a lost soul, and the coyotes rearing themselves on their haunches in the moonlight to howl doleful protests against the lonely lighted tent disturbing their desolation.

Many of the men along this line, however, are of the "legion that never was listed," the pioneer whose life is ever where civilization steps on their heels. They grumble about the loneliness, grumble at having to cook their meals at little oil stoves and hobo fires made of greasewood that they can pick up; but when these get to be bigger towns, they get uneasy and move on to a new desolation.

A PROSPECTUS JOKER.

One town on the middle of the route has a boom. Some lurid josher has bought up the desert in that locality; he found a spring in it which was enough to set him off. He has sent high-flown wads of prospectus through the East describing the "wooded heights," the "babbling brooks," and "fertile farm lands," the "growing towns."

The heights are there all right, but the only way to make the "wooded" part come true would be to carry a pack of shingles up.

There really is, and has been for some time, a mining camp circled about the springs, but it is claimed that these lurid promoters have sold $16,000 worth of city lots to eastern people! The price is $25 per lot. There are several million acres left at the same price.

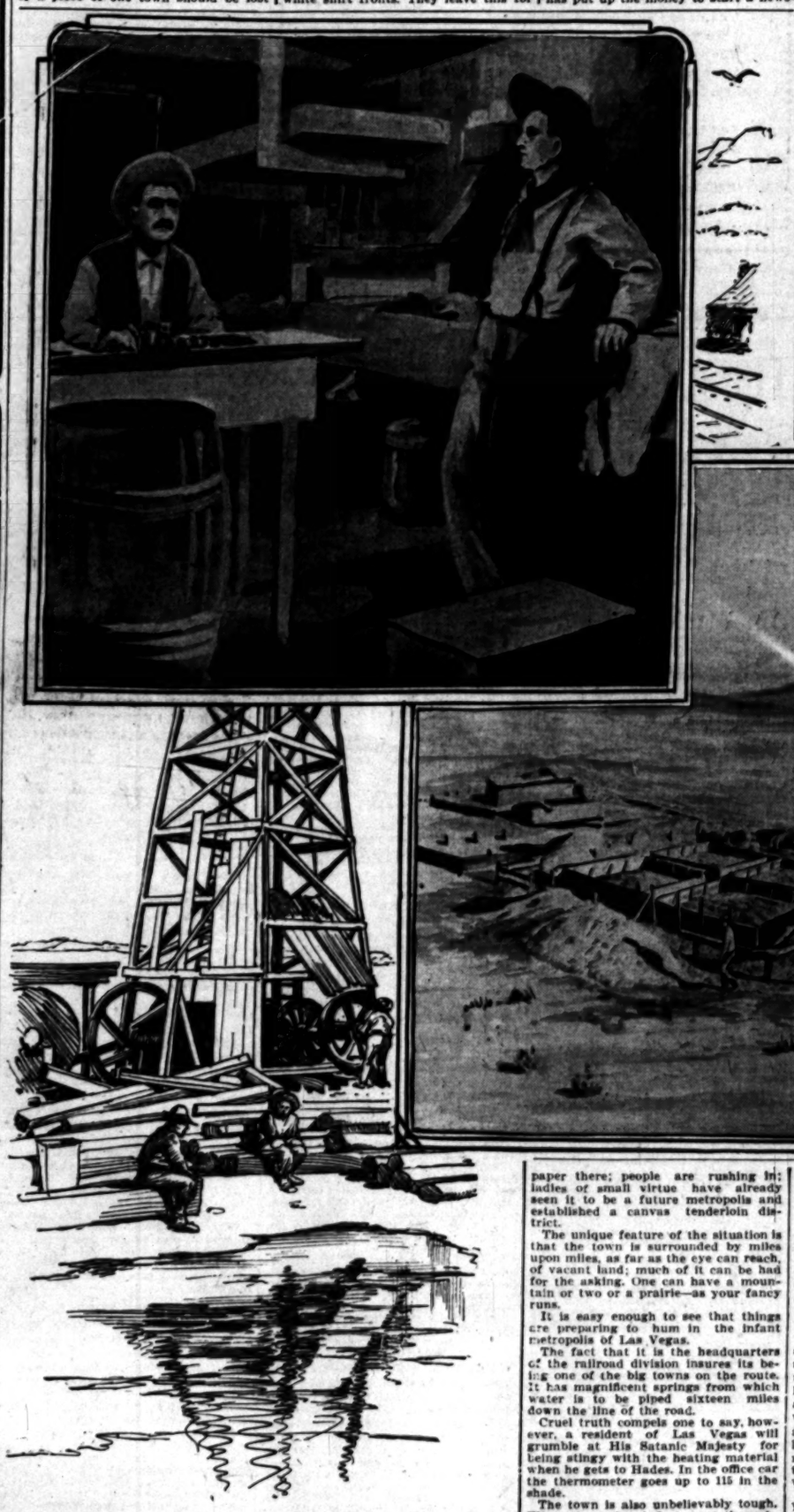
Another boom is on in Las Vegas. This town is said to have growing pains. Within a year it will undoubtedly be a big town.

At present it is a "rag city." There is only one frame building in the town; that is the freight house. All the rest tents.

The division headquarters for the railroad are maintained in a string of converted railroad cars run on a side track.

In a passenger coach, with the seats pulled out, is the division superintendent and his staff; in a box car ahead, the dispatcher, and in another, the station agent.

A giant ice plant is going up at one end of the town; a Los Angeles man has put up the money to start a newspaper there; people are rushing in; ladies of small virtue have already seen it to be a future metropolis and established a canvas tenderloin district.



Starting a Town at a Railroad Siding—The Well and the Railroad Office. (From Photographs.)

The unique feature of the situation is that the town is surrounded by miles upon miles, as far as the eye can reach, of vacant land; much of it can be had for the asking. One can have a mountain or two or a prairie—as your fancy runs.

It is easy enough to see that things are preparing to hum in the infant metropolis of Las Vegas.

The fact that it is the headquarters of the railroad division insures its being one of the big towns on the route. It has magnificent springs from which water is to be piped sixteen miles down the line of the road.

Cruel truth compels one to say, however, a resident of Las Vegas will grumble at His Satanic Majesty for being stingy with the heating material when he gets to Hades. In the office car the thermometer goes up to 115 in the shade.

The town is also unbelievably tough. When the railroad first went through, and the construction camps were near the town, a man's life was cheap. Men dared not venture outside their tents at night. It is better now, but still lingers a long way from virtue.

Most of the ready-made towns, however, are on the California side, where the track has been laid longer.

The first one out from Daggett is Otis, where the shops are humming. This is the most pretentious town on the route. There are actually several wood buildings, some warehouses and several women and children. The people are getting up a purse to hire a school teacher to come out when the school closes at Daggett.

THE POPULATION.

If one man should die at Afton, Cal., half the population of the place would be destroyed. It is one of the ready-made towns.

A week ago, a train of flat cars came by, shunted off lumber and cement barrels. Came a gang of workmen; erected a section house exactly like the dozen others which decorate the way; erected a bunk house, exactly like some dozen others. Then passed on to the next station.

Came another gang with derricks

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MINISTERS CALLED IN FROM ALL SOUTHLAND.

Great Bible Institute Next Week to be Crowning Feature of Evangelistic Campaign—Graphic Pictures of Yesterday's Stirring Events.

LOS ANGELES is not to share alone the effects of a great spirit of revival, but the influence is to be sent out.

All Southern California is to be summoned to the fountain to drink, and the refreshing draught is expected to bring new religious life to the entire Southland.

All the ministers of the gospel in this section of the State have been requested to assemble in this city in a great Bible conference on Thursday and Friday of next week.

If the invitation is generally accepted, this will prove one of the greatest gatherings of ministers ever seen in the city, outside of the two national gatherings of the Methodists and Presbyterians. The number will be augmented by many hundreds of men and women outside of the ministry.

This will be perhaps the climax of the campaign, and it is looked to and talked of with much interest by the ministers of the city.

The old-fashioned notion of a revival is irrevocably associated with a "mourner's bench" crowded with weeping seekers, and a multitude shouting "hallelujah," but the more recent and more rational idea is less picturesque though probably equally effective.

It is very doubtful of anything like the number of men and women could be induced to go forward to the altar and kneel at a bench who will rise to their feet and then sit down again in response to the appeal of an evangelist.

The plan adopted in the great evangelistic campaign now being waged in this city, is to ask people to indicate by rising that they feel interested in the subject of salvation. Posted all over the room on a prearranged system are an army of "personal workers," each of whom is instructed to keep close watch over his territory, and when the singing begins he is expected to secure the name of the persons who arose, together with their address and church preference. Scenes of excitement are impossible under such circumstances and anything sensational rarely occurs.

No opportunity is given to anybody to talk at the evening meetings, except the evangelist, and the dictator of the situation is wary of anybody who shows a desire to break in. The singer, under such circumstances, is a host in himself, for he is keeping close watch, and by long experience knows just when the leader wants a burst of song and when he doesn't. One of the times he wants it is when the loquacious but no doubt sincere old Christian wants to talk, and the song-burst floors him without insult or injury.

One of the most impressive meetings yet held since the opening of the campaign afforded an illustration a night or two ago, of how guarded the evangelist is.

At a critical point in the service, back yonder along the main aisle the form of a prominent minister of the city slowly straightened itself up. The light fell on him in such a way that at the distance he was not recognized. A talk from the pew at that point would have been a calamity.

"Fill me now, fill me now,
Holy Spirit fill me now,"

burst from the song leader, accompanied by the pipe organ and all the force of the big chorus.

It was quick enough to seem accidental. A minister at his elbow whispered a word to the evangelist and when the organ stopped with a gurgle in its throat, the evangelist suavely said:

"I interrupted a brother right out there, I think."

The result proved not to be a talk, but a helpful question that brought out a most helpful answer.

The evangelist was Dr. Henry Ostrom, and the prominent minister was Dr. W. H. Rider, pastor of Westlake Methodist Church.

At the afternoon meetings more latitude is given, but even then the leader keeps his grip firmly on the brake, somewhat after the manner of Francis Murphy, who is a past master in the art of choking off the long talker in his gospel temperance meetings.

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Perhaps the man who comes nearest being the "old-fashioned" revivalist is Rev. John H. Elliott, who holds forth in the Fifth District in East Los Angeles.

Thus far he has merited this distinction by holding fast to old-fashioned texts, and common-sense exhortation has characterized his appeals to those outside the pale of the church.

At the close of his Monday-night meeting a large part of the audience went forward and knelt about the altar while they fervently chanted a prayer. This was the nearest approach to old methods that has been shown in any of the meetings.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Elliott's talk was on the personality of the Holy Spirit, and his earnest words describing the coming of the higher influence into his own life evoked many a fervent "amen" from his audience.

The evangelist is short and rather heavy-set; the top of his head is bald, the other portion being covered with gray hair, and his complexion is in the glow of vigorous health.

His general style of address is argumentative rather than oratorical, though when he is warmed up to the work, he does not lack fire. His whole bearing is so earnest and convincing that he awakens the deepest feelings in his hearers. He will leave a strong impress on the people of his district.

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An incident of the Fourth District meeting in the Boyle Heights Methodist Church last night was the exhibition of a small memorandum book which Dr. Stough declared was the real foundation of the Los Angeles revival. The book had been given to him by an old gentleman at the first meeting, and contained the names of 157 women who had promised to pray for a revival in this city before it had been decided to inaugurate the campaign that is now on.

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The real center of revivalism in Los Angeles last night was a basement room in the First Methodist Church. There 300 men and youths sat in snug quarters and heard about Christ the Man, while the rain swirled in the chill and the darkness outside. Now and again the subdued, all-pervading roar of the raindrops was stifled in a burst of song from the auditorium room upstairs, where was assembled another wet-night audience, made up of men, women and children. Above stairs the preacher was reinforced by a big choir; downstairs in the basement room the whole crowd was a choir, and so sturdy a one that the platform piano had no chance to distinguish itself at all.

The benighted may call it a craze, if they like, but none shall deny the method that is there on every hand, in every move directed by this ably-captained, well-drilled platoon of soul-savers which just now in Los Angeles is rapping the devil over the knuckles with godly mace and baton.

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How utterly absent from this campaign is the fire-eating style of the ancient and honorable camp meeting was apparent in that basement room last night. The dispassionate onlooker, standing apart that he might the more easily observe and accurately think, could not fail to note the replacement of the spiritual cyclone of other days by the steady trade-wind of a more modern salvation. There is less noise of the hallelujah chorus in the celestial rigging, and more giving of level-toned commands from the quarterdeck. Once it was customary for all hands to crowd to the rail of the ship of grace and welcome with clamorous shouts the half-drowned castaway so lately adrift in a sea of sin; it's different now. A boat is lowered, neatly, with dispatch, and without too turbulent joy the sinking sinner is hauled inboard, and off goes the boat with rhythmic click of oars in that direction where another black head bobs uncertainly in the current that flows toward hell.

To put it differently, the spiritual atmosphere has been rarified—etherized. The pregnant fogs of "conviction" that erstwhile swirled and eddied in the storm-breath of the volcanic preacher, while from out their misty confines rose the goom of the amen guns, have vanished away. In their stead has come the sunshine of a sweeter creed, in whose clear light men and women are asked to kneel and acknowledge with understanding that God's way is the best way, even as He has said.

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Looking back to the crucial moment in that basement room last night, no man or youth may say, "They drove me to it." For emotions had not the upper hand.

Here in this well-filled pew a young fellow sits with head drooped in his hands. In the larger room upstairs his mother has just risen and faltered: "Please pray for my son," and quietly sat down. The men who are leaning over this young fellow, one with an arm across his shoulder, another with a strong hand clasping his knee, know nothing of the counterpart being

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Disclosures made unawares by a garbage-wagon driver occasioned an investigation by the Board of Health.

The Council last night declined to enact an ordinance recommended by the Street Superintendent adding 115 extra laborers to the street force.

Contracts drawn by the City Attorney for securing brick for the outfall sewer have not yet been signed by the brick men.

The developments in the damage suit of Duffie against Wilson in Judge Conrey's court have become decidedly interesting since the defense opened.

An odd situation developed yesterday when Mrs. Christie Williams was committed to the insane asylum, and her daughter was married to her fiancé, who had assisted in bringing her mother from Arizona.

PUBLIC ADVERTISING—NEW TODAY.

(1.) Notice of sale of street railway franchise. (2.) Ordinance authorizing property owners to improve a portion of Eighth street under private contract. (3.) Establishing grade of Wellcome street. (4.) Authorizing property owners to improve a portion of Forty-ninth street under private contract. (5.) Notice to grading contractors.

These advertisements will be found on page 6, Part II.

AT THE CITY HALL.

"STRICT ECONOMY," SAYS COUNCIL.

A DEPARTMENT MAY NOT EXCEED APPROPRIATION.

Request for Increase in Force of Laborers for the Street Department Not Granted—Retrenchment or a Big Deficit—Howton Breaks Out in a New Spot.

Acting on a recommendation from the City Auditor and the Finance Committee, the Council last night declined to pass Street Superintendent Hanley's extra labor ordinance.

Hanley had asked for an addition of 115 men to the present force of laborers in the street department. The Finance Committee reported that after a careful investigation of the condition of the city's finances they had decided that so large an increase in the street department could not be allowed during the present fiscal year.

The City Auditor's report showed that the proposed increase would increase the cost of maintenance of the streets to $52,000 a month. He submitted a statement, showing that if the monthly expenses of the department were permitted to exceed $26,000 there would be a deficit in the department appropriation at the end of the fiscal year.

Mr. Hanley made a personal appeal for the increased force. He had figured the increased expense to the city to be 4 cents a year on each hundred dollars of property valuation, and he thought the people would consider the improvement in the streets worth the money.

Chairman Smith of the Finance Committee spoke for economy. He said that the Council must see to it that the funds in the treasury are so conserved as to prevent, if possible, a deficit at the close of the fiscal year.

Mr. Smith offered a compromise measure, allowing the superintendent about half the men he asked for. Mr. Hanley then asked that he be allowed to withdraw his ordinance, promising to present it in a modified form at next Monday's Council meeting. This permission was granted.

Forgetting his vow to keep away from the Council chamber, Howton floated into the adjourned meeting with a new grievance. This time he was real angry.

It was not until after a motion to adjourn had been made that he broke loose. But he soon made up for lost time, and was several laps ahead of the bunch.

"Mr. President," he called, in hurried, excited tones, "before we adjourn for the night I desire to inform the members of this Council that I have discovered what I believe to be fraud in the Auditor's office. I have reason to believe that the books are being juggled with; that money is being transferred from one fund to another without our knowledge, that the street department is being discriminated against and that there are other things going on that will not bear investigation. Of Mr. Bostwick, the chief deputy, I shall not speak; that will be a matter for the Civil Service Commission."

"I move that a committee be appointed to investigate and I implore you to second my motion."

Silence reigned in the Council chamber.

Howton did some more imploring, and finally Councilman Kern said: "The charges brought by the sixth Ward Councilman are grave enough to merit investigation. He undoubtedly has evidence to support his assertions. I am willing that that evidence should be presented to the Council. I move that Dr. Howton be appointed a committee of one to make this investigation and report his findings back to this Council."

This motion carried unanimously.

THE SECRET OF IT.

During the afternoon yesterday Howton butted in at an executive meeting of the Finance Committee; Mr. Bostwick of the Auditor's office was explaining to the members the exact status of the city's finances.

Bostwick refused to make this explanation to anyone except the members of this committee. Howton withdrew, but in a few minutes butted in again and said that he had as much right there as anyone. Bostwick asked him to promise not to make public what he might hear. Howton refused to promise and Bostwick would say no more.

It is for this grievous offense that Bostwick is to be hailed by Howton before the Civil Service Commission.

GAVE SNAP AWAY.

GARBAGE MAN TOO TALKATIVE.

Garbage Contractor Alexander was last night fined $50 by the Board of Health for failure of one of his drivers to dump garbage into the crematory instead of on a vacant lot.

In moving to impose this fine Commissioner Kurtz said that the driver had been caught dirty-handed in the act of dumping a big load of garbage on a lot near the crematory last Friday evening. It appeared that Commissioners Kurtz, Salsbury and Pollette and Health Officer Powers went out to the garbage crematory Friday afternoon to investigate conditions surrounding a slaughter-house that has just been built right by the side of the "dump."

While they were looking the premises over a garbage collector drove up in one of Contractor Alexander's wagons and proceeded to dump his load of filth on a vacant lot. A Commissioner asked him why he did not put the garbage in the crematory.

"Oh, it's too late for that," he replied, as he fastened the reeking tailgate, "the crematory closes at 5 o'clock. I generally dump my load out here sommer's. Tain't no use to burn the the stuff nohow."

The Commissioners did not reveal their identity at the time, but Alexander learned what had taken place. Late yesterday afternoon he filed with the clerk of the Commission a labored defense for the act of his driver; it wasn't a very big load; the stuff was nearly all ashes, and it was the driver's first offense.

But the commissioners recommended to the Council that the contractor be fined $50. This is the extreme penalty fixed by the garbage contract. The Commission asked that $27 additional be deducted from the contractor's warrant for failure to take garbage where it had been placed on the street in proper receptacles. This deduction was made on complaints of householders.

Health Officer Powers reported that a brick dwelling house at 235 Lamar street was in an unsanitary condition; that the last three families living there had suffered from typhoid fever. The Commission directed that the house be placarded as "unsanitary," and that no tenants be allowed to occupy it until it has been thoroughly cleansed and proper sewer connections made. A dwelling at 1835 East Main street was on the Health Officer's recommendation, also declared unsanitary.

WEEKLY PAYMENTS.

PARK LABORERS PROTEST.

Laborers in the park department are commencing to clamor for participation in the weekly payment system.

Four months ago the Council passed an ordinance providing for weekly payments to all laborers in the street and park departments. Weekly reports have since that time been made by the Street Superintendent, and demands for his workmen have been paid weekly in place of monthly.

Employés in the city parks have not been permitted to take part in this weekly distribution of dividends. City Auditor Schwaebe yesterday afternoon said that this was due to the fact that the secretary of the park board has never sent down weekly pay rolls to the Auditor's office.

"Secretary Hopkins of the park board," explained the Auditor, "said at the time the ordinance was adopted that the laborers in the parks did not care to get their money weekly; that they were just as well satisfied to wait a month for it.

"No park pay rolls have ever come down to us, and of course there was nothing for us to make out."

The Auditor explained that many workmen in the street department do not avail themselves of the opportunity to draw their money weekly from the city. He said that 40 per cent. of them still hypothecate their warrants with money lenders.

Attention of the Park Commissioners has been called to the fact that the park employés are not included in the weekly distribution plan, and the matter will probably be thrashed out at the next meeting of the park board.

FELL FROM CAR.

COUNCILMAN FOORD INJURED.

Councilman Fred Foord of the First Ward met with a serious accident late yesterday afternoon, while returning to his home from a committee meeting at the City Hall. In alighting from a car at the corner of Downey avenue and Daly street, Mr. Foord missed his footing and fell heavily across the curbing.

He attempted to rise, but was unable to do so. Passengers assisted him to his home, at No. 201 North Gates street and Dr. Quint was called. Mr. Foord thought that he had broken some ribs, but Dr. Quint after a careful examination pronounced the ribs intact. Later in the evening Mr. Foord was taken with nausea and vomiting followed by two slight hemorrhages. The physician said that these were caused by internal injuries, which Mr. Foord received in his fall.

Late last night Dr. Quint reported that Mr. Foord was resting easily, but that his injuries were such that he will probably be confined to his room for several weeks.

STILL UNDER FIRE.

CIVIL SERVICE DEPUTIES.

John A. Domingues has filed charges with the Civil Service Commission attacking the legality of that body's certifications to the name of H. A. Reavis as eligible to appointment in the Assessor's office. This is the fourth charge brought by the Domingues brothers, affecting positions of civil-service deputies. Two of the charges have been sustained and the deputies dismissed; one was declared to be not well founded.

Reavis received certification from the Civil Service Board two years ago, his name appeared on a list of sub employés of the Assessor's office, submitted to the commission by former Assessor Wismer. It was there certified that Reavis was appointed January 5, 1904; but records of the Auditor's office show that he did not draw pay until February. Under the provisions of the civil service, all persons actually employed by the city on January 23, 1904, were not required to take civil service examinations. Reavis has never taken such examination.

It is claimed that there are a number of employés in the Assessor's and Tax Collector's offices, or on the permanent list for places in those departments, who are not legally on the civil-service list.

SHARP PRACTICE.

"EL HUTCH" GOT THE MONEY.

Superintendent Mulholland has written a communication to the Civil Service Commission in which he exonerates Assistant Superintendent Brooks from any culpability in the matter of payment of money by S. A. Bentley to obtain a place as laborer in the water department.

Bentley told the Civil Service Commission two weeks ago that he had been discharged from the water department; that he went to Attorney E. L. Hutchison and paid him $10 and that Hutchison went to the water department and fixed it with Brooks, so that Bentley could go back to work.

Mulholland explained that Bentley had quit the department after having words with the foreman under whom he was working. "El Hutch" a few days later went to both Brooks and Mulholland and begged that Bentley be given another chance, putting up the plea that Bentley was an ignorant working man with a large family to support and that it would be an act of worthy charity to retain him.

Mulholland sharply critizes the part played by the attorney in the transaction, declaring that, "I for one certainly object to the action of such people."

STILL NO BRICK.

CONTRACTS NOT SIGNED.

Awards of contracts for supplying brick for the outfall sewer, made Monday by the Council, have not yet been confirmed. An adjourned meeting of the Council was held last night for the purpose of approving the contracts, but the City Attorney reported that they were not yet signed by the brick men.

The reason advanced by one of the successful bidders for not completing the contract, was that the company's attorney was out of the city, and no one cared to sign the contract, which he had not approved.

AND THE "DOC" CAME BACK.

The City Hall's alive once more,
For Howton, though he's just as sore,
Is back again, repentantly, within its tragic walls.
The atmosphere that once he tore,
With amity siclied o'er,
But the psychic doctor's agony, it burns and frets and galls.

Most wofully and dolefully,
And with his spooky soul full he
Resignedly has taken up his melancholy task.
"I'll rout the mighty ward bullee
Who tries to work a pull," says he,
"For I'm a great reformer, and dough is all I ask."

From pinnacle to basement floor
Glad faces peer within each door
To pass a smile to Howton as he marches to his seat.
"He's oozing grief from ev'ry pore,
And if 'twere blood, what yellow gore!
"He's like a rotten egg," they say, "he is so hard to beat."

The Council clock with beaming face
Throws out its hands in merry grace
To welcome back the prodigal of burning brow and high;
The ceiling cracks within its case
From grinning at the doctor's race.
"There's Sammy's hero home again," he hears it gently sigh.

Out he's backed and in intact,
However sad, it is a fact,
The "doctor" from the limelight no longer could remain.
He'll make a tack on some new track
And take at every chance a whack
To show the woozy workings of a freak reformer's brain.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HOW DUFFIE WAS POISONED.

WILSON MAINTAINS HE SOLD HIM ONLY SIMPLE SALTS.

Defense Claims That He Didn't Know How to Take His Dose, and Made Matters Worse When He Took All Kinds of So-called Antidotes.

The court is not taking judicial cognizance as it might of the possibilities arising from a person taking an ounce of Epsom salts, and yesterday a long array of witnesses filed onto the witness stand in Judge Conrey's court to testify in the suit wherein S. C. Duffie is trying to recover $10,000 as damages from G. B. Wilson.

Duffie has maintained that Wilson, who keeps a drug store at Figueroa and Sixth streets, sold him an ounce of carbonate of potash instead of an ounce of Epsom salts. Wilson had his turn yesterday afternoon. He maintained that he doled out salts to Duffie, and nothing but salts, but that the plaintiff didn't know how to take the medicine and brought trouble upon himself by his ignorance.

Wilson did not quite concede through his witnesses that it was Duffie's ignorance. There were pretty plain insinuations that Duffie did his best to make his aches and pains appear as bad as possible. Mrs. Pahl, matron of the Good Samaritan Hospital, said it had appeared as if Duffie were trying to scare his wife, for whenever she appeared he would speak in a whisper and seem doubled up with pain, but as soon as she left them he would speak all right and like anyone else.

Dr. H. G. Bayless stated that he went to call upon Duffie at the behest of the attorneys for the defendant. He called eleven days after Duffie had taken a strong dose of something that had upset him. The door was open, and as no one appeared in response to his ring at the bell, and as he heard voices inside, Dr. Bayless said he entered. He saw a man in his shirt sleeves talking at the telephone, and he inquired of him if he was addressing Mr. Duffie.

Learning that this guess was correct, he introduced himself, and desiring to hold the man's hand so as to take note of his temperature, he made some genial remark about Duffie being, like himself, from the South. For the instant Duffie was genial and met the friendly advance. The witness said he found the man's temperature normal and so far as looks went he appeared to have nothing the matter with him. As for his voice, he talked well enough, giving no indication of suffering, as had been alleged.

"He asked me who I was," said Dr. Bayless "and I told him I was a physician. He then inquired what I wanted, and I told him that I had called at the instance of Mr. Wilson's attorney. He said: 'I'll give you just a minute and a h—l to get out of this house,' and I left."

Dr. Bayless and the other witnesses also thought that if Duffie took an ounce of salts in half a glass of water, as he said he did, it was not wonderful that he was very much upset; and after being dosed with mustard and water, vinegar, whie of an egg, flaxseed tea and lime water, the corrosion of the membrane of the throat and stomach would be easily accounted for.

Miss Mary Kroeger, one of the nurses at the Good Samaritan Hospital, gave a fair sample of the testimony of the attendants who saw Duffie while an inmate of the institution. She said that the first night the man appeared to be suffering, but after that she didn't think he was suffering at all. Though he acted as if he was. He wouldn't take any medicine, and so far as she could discern was not acting as if his internal anatomy was corroded.

Mrs. Pahl, matron of the hospital, was subjected to perhaps the closest cross-examination, but she has been a witness in a number of cases and always insists upon stating her side of the case in her own way. Counsel wanted to know why, if the nurses thought Duffie was shamming, they didn't report the matter to the doctors.

"Because in our institution," was the answer, "it is a rule that nurses keep their eyes and ears open and their mouths shut. It was their business to report anything of a medical or surgical nature, but not anything as to what they thought, or gossip of any kind."

Then it was that the witness went on to tell of the idea she had that Duffie was "play-acting" for the benefit of his wife whenever she appeared upon the scene.

The further hearing in the case will be continued today.

STRONG SOCIAL CONTRAST.

WEDDED UNDER A CLOUD.

While Mrs. Christie Williams was speeding on her way last evening to the State Hospital at Patton, to which institution she was committed yesterday by Judge Wilbur, her daughter Mary was being married to the man of her choice. The situation was incongruous, but the necessities of the case made it requisite.

The husband of Mrs. Williams is an old railroad man, and removed from Utah to Nogales three months ago on account of his wife's health. He is cashier with the Sonora Railroad Company on the border town, and when his wife displayed signs of dementia he brought her to Los Angeles for the purpose of having her treated in a private sanitarium. But after canvassing the situation with the leading physicians here he found that the expense would be so great that he could not bear the strain upon his finances, and, following the advice given, he had his wife entered at Patton as a pay patient. Her condition, though troublesome, is not considered serious, and it is believed that she will soon recover.

In the courtroom with her father and mother was Miss Mary and her fiance, Edwin Opdyke, and the grief that she may have felt at the condition of her mother was overborne by the prospect immediately before her. Opdyke is an old friend of the family and is also an employé of the Sonora Railroad Company. Inasmuch as Mr. Williams is compelled to return to duty it was thought wisest to have the marriage ceremony performed very quietly, and then return all together to Nogales and settle down to married life without the usual gayeties incident to that red letter day in a young girls' life.

COUNTY REPORTS.

RECEIPTS TEND UPWARD.

The business of the county continues to show a marked increase. Although last year was a prosperous one, the receipts in all the offices are gaining.

During the month of January the County Recorder handled the following mass of business, the figures in parenthesis showing the amounts for January, 1904:

Deeds filed, 3918 (2978;) mortgages, 1265 (930;) miscellaneous records, 1656 (1572;) marriages, 198 (228;) marginal releases, 431 (526;) maps, 68 (44;) building contracts, 97 (76;) total number of documents, 7633 (6364.) Folios copied, 62,349 (50,656.)

The total amount of fees collected was $9930.75 ($8168.80.)

County Clerk Keyes collected and disposed of the following amounts of fees during the month just ended:

Probate, $729.05; civil, $225.25; miscellaneous, $649.40; total, $3637.70. Of this amount $400 was carried to the credit of the law library and $3237.70 to the salary fund.

The several county officials designated by law made a count of the public moneys in the county treasury yesterday, and found the following amounts on hand:

Gold, $950,652.80; currency, $221,259; silver, $1991.58; total, $1,173,903.38.

GILLONS' SUIT.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

The claim of G. H. Gillons and Mrs. Sadie Gillons against the Los Angeles Railway Company for $20,000 damages was tried before Judge Allen yesterday, and the railway won.

On the last day of October, 1904, the Gillonses drove in their buggy downtown, having their little girl with them. Gillons stopped the buggy on Spring street near Temple, and, leaving his wife in charge, went into an adjacent store to transact some business. The horse stood steady at the curb for a little while, and as Mrs. Gillons was experienced in driving the possibility of accident appeared remote. But for some reason or other the horse became restive and Mrs. Gillons was not able to quiet him. The animal began to back across the track and just then a Maple-avenue car came along. The Gillons child began to cry out a warning, when Mr. Gillons rushed from the store and seized the horse's head, but was unable to prevent the brute from continuing his backing tactics. The motorneer turned off the current suddenly, but the buggy crashed into the car at the rear end just over the wheel truck.

Mrs. Gillons was thrown under her smashed vehicle and was very severely injured. Her head was cut, her cheek bone broken, and her spine and back being also injured. The little girl escaped unscathed.

The plaintiffs claimed that the motorneer had every opportunity to see the horse backing across the track and that he ought to have stopped the car, but that contention was negatived by the fact that the buggy crashed into the car at the rear end. The railroad company sought to show that the buggy had knocked off the fuse box on the rear truck and that immediately the car went "dead." It had to be pushed past the end of Temple street onto the dead siding, where it was temporarily fixed up and sent back to the barn.

The court gave judgment in favor of the defendant company, it not being shown that the motorneer had shown any laxity.

OLD MAN GOT GIDDY.

THEN LEFT HOME.

Robert Kyle married Mrs. Margaret Kyle in Canada in 1867, just about thirty-eight years ago, and of their ten children several have grown up and married in Southern California.

As age crept upon Mr. Kyle he began to develop giddy tendencies, for if he had been inclined the same way before, he had, at least, been smart enough to keep so well under cover that his wife was none the wiser. But Mr. and Mrs. Kyle had several little tiffs, and then the old man always threatened that he would skip out for South Africa until his exodus to the land of Hottentots and big diamonds became a regular bugaboo to scare his family.

But about April, 1902, Mrs. Kyle discovered several letters from a fragile specimen of femininity at San Francisco, and these loving epistles left little to guess at. This was dissipating with a vengeance and Mrs. Kyle took her husband to task. Neither husband nor wife was longer young; indeed, inasmuch as the husband was about 62 and his wife thought would better devote his attention to patching up his old soul instead of flirting with a snip of a girl up north.

Mr. Kyle didn't take his wife's reproaches in good part, but he merely said he was going down to the beach. Packing his grip, he started off and never returned. One of his sons told Judge Trask yesterday that he had seen his father within the last few weeks, but he had nothing to say.

The divorce asked for was granted.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE—Isaac Brothers and Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $250,000, fully subscribed. The directors are Louis Isaacs, Max, Esther and Natalie H. Isaacs and A. B. McCutchen, all of Los Angeles.

MINING COMPANY—The Amazon Mining Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $200,000, of which $5 has been subscribed. The directors are C. W. Rhompson, G. W. Mack, C. L. Metzger, J. C. Richardson and J. D. Simpson, all of Los Angeles.

RANCHO EXPLOITED—The Jesus Maria Rancho of Los Angeles has been incorporated with a capital stock of $500,000, of which $175,000 has been subscribed. The directors are H. S. Stephenson, Hattie B. Stephenson, both of Casmalia, Santa Barbara county; E. J. Marshall and Sallie McL. Marshall and H. V. Marshall of Los Angeles.

MORE HOMES—The Oxnard Home Telephone Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $75,000, of which $10,000 has been subscribed. The directors are C. F. Guthridge, C. L. Zahn, D. F. Bryce, C. P. Platt and A. Wright, all of Los Angeles.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

AN EXPENSIVE BATTERY TRIAL.

ENTIRE DAY CONSUMED IN SECURING REQUIRED JURY.

Wheels of Justice are Temporarily Clogged in Police Court—Three Venires of Jurors Exhausted—Monkey Wrench Shattered Over Head of Man in Los Angeles Street House.

Three venires of jurors were exhausted and sixty-nine men were examined in Justice Austin's court yesterday before a jury was finally secured in the trial of the case of W. A. Cooper charged with battery.

The trial consumed the entire day and aptly illustrated the ease with which the wheels of justice may be temporarily clogged by a man charged with a more or less trivial offense.

But Cooper's case is out of the ordinary. Although the complaint was issued for battery, Cooper who is the keeper of a lodging house of questionable character at No. 261 South Los Angeles street, is alleged to have broken a monkey wrench over the head of Gus Camroth a visitor. The wrench was ruined and Camroth was put completely out of business. The dispute arose over the collection of two bits, which Cooper tried to exact from Camroth, the former claiming that it was his custom to collect 25 cents from every visitor to his place. Camroth demurred and a fight ensued.

When arraigned yesterday Cooper entered a plea of not guilty and demanded a jury trial. The last juror was not secured until nearly 5 o'clock when the case was continued until this morning.

SWAPPED HORSES.

SECRET OF "BORROWED" RING.

Emil Formus of ring "borrowing" fame swapped horses in the middle of the stream before he was allowed an opportunity to tell Justice Chambers all the facts in connection with the theft of a diamond ring valued at $200, of which crime he is accused.

Formus's case was called in the Police Court yesterday morning and Hugh J. Crawford, attorney for the defendant announced that he had withdrawn from the case. Henry & Thompson undertook the man's defense. The hearing was continued until February 10.

Formus inherited valuable property at Hollywood several years ago, but it was sold and the young man dissipated his fortune in a short time. He worked for Mrs. Parker and was well thought of by his employer until the ring episode came up. Admiring a handsome solitaire worn by Mrs. Parker, Formus asked permission to take it to show to a jeweler as he said he wanted a duplicate made for his lady-love who he expected to marry in a short time.

The "lady-love" still waits, as the ring was pawned to a local "uncle" and Formus went to San Francisco where he was arrested.

NEEDED MONEY.

WHY SINGER STOLE JEWELS.

"I needed the money," said Arthur J. Wiley, tenor singer in a church choir, "and that's why I took the jewelry."

This is the simple explanation of the young man charged with the theft of valuable jewelry from the room of Mrs. E. Moore, a lodger in the house of the accused man's mother on Hope street.

Wiley sang arias for a living, but the pay was small and he tried the plumbing business, but he was too light for heavy work and the job was cast aside. Then the jewels looked tempting and the young man fell. yesterday he was haled into court on a charge of burglary. He will be given a preliminary hearing February 10. Detectives dug the jewels from a hiding place under a South Olive street church.

BAD CHECKS.

HEALEY PLAYED IN HARD LUCK.

For passing a worthless check for a small sum of money, James M. Healey was yesterday given a sentence of 60 days in jail. Healey entered a plea of guilty when he faced Justice Chambers, but he put up a hard luck story that apparently affected the court and resulted in a lighter sentence than is usual in such cases.

Court Briefs.

Carl Ritchie, arrested by Detectives Steele and Craig, is said to be an expert sneak thief. Ritchie is charged with the theft of a clock from a North Los Angeles street second-hand store and yesterday the detectives found other evidence of the man's crookedness. A handsome mirror which had been pawned by Ritchie was recovered, but no owner for the glass can be found.

Lewis Washington, a vagrant, was convicted of loafing around places of questionable character. When he appeared before Justice Chambers yesterday the court took the occasion to score vagrants and imposed a fine of $90 or a term of three months in jail.

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We are arranging a sale now, the announcements and details of which will be made Saturday, February 4th.

We ask you to remember in these days of exaggeration and hyperbole that the sales we hold are bona fide offerings of shoes that we regularly carry in stock—shoes that bear our name—not goods bought or manufactured to be sold at a profit though ostensibly offered at cut prices. There is an actual loss to us on the shoes that go into the sale and there is a corresponding gain to every purchaser. Let us prove this to you during the coming sale which begins next Saturday.

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Mile and a quarter: Modicum, 105 (Fountain) 6 to 5, won; Glenarvon, 107 (Minder) 10 to 1, second; Erne, 107 (Knapp) 9 to 2, third; time 2:17¼. Expedient, Langford James and Formero also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Cloche D'Or, 107 (Clark) 7 to 1, won; Yellowstone, 108 (Minder) 11 to 1, second; Cincinnatus, 107 (McBride) 6 to 5, third; time 1:19¾. Haven Run, Tom Slavin and Mogregor also ran.

One mile and fifty yards, handicap, purse $1000: Sais, 107 (Knapp) 14 to 5, won; Military Man, 104 (Jones) 2 to 1, second; Bombardier, 105 (Minder) 5 to 1, third; time 1:51½. Red Cross Nurse, Arab, Soufriere and Tenny Burn also ran.

Futurity course, selling: Hipponax, 113 (Alarie) 8 to 1, won; Sir Sherman, 105 (Chandler) 11 to 1, second; Effervesence, 101 (Clark) 20 to 1, third; time 1:16¼. Fort Wayne, Emma Reubold, Virginia Boy and Revolt also ran.

Five furlongs: Tramotor, 107 (McBride) 5 to 2, won; Prince Brutus, 107 (Jones) 3 to 2, second; Salable, 107 (Knapp) 18 to 5, third; time 1:05½. Edrodun, Indicate, St. Dennis and Steele Wire also ran.

WESTERN SKATERS UNITE.

TO AFFILIATE WITH OTHERS.

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Officers were elected as follows: President, Charles Kilpatrick; second vice-president, Frank Manning, St. Louis; secretary and treasurer, William C. Hasse. The election of first vice-president will be left to the organization of Minneapolis.

Hot Springs Races.

HOT SPRINGS, (Ark.) Feb. 1.—Three furlong: Angola won, Carthage second, Prince Glenn third; time 0:39¼.

Six furlongs: Clifton Boy won, Jake Ward second, Ed Tierney third; time 1:20.

Five and a half furlongs: Borak won, Black cat second, Voltac third; time 1:13¾.

Six furlongs: Mamie Worth won, Toscan second, Rose Ben third; time 1:18.

Mile and seventy yards: Nameoki won. Celebration second, Bete Noir third; time 1:53¼.

Six furlongs: Joe Goss won, Jigger second, Benson Hurst third; time 1:21.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Wednesday, February 1, 1905. Sixtieth day. Weather cloudy. Track fast. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. J. J. Holtman, starter.

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Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
228	Ella King, 5 (J. Guthrie)	108	1	.....	2 4	2 2½	1 2	1 4	W. Dugan	6	4
(321)	My Gem, 4 (Cushing & Co.)	104	2	.....	4 2	4 4	4 4	2 2	E. Walsh	8-5	11-5
(28)	Susie Christian, 4 (Finch Co.)	97	5	.....	6 2	5 ½	5 5	3 6	Kent	8	15
28	Edinborough, a (W. S. Price)	112	3	.....	2 ½	3 ½	3 ½	4 5	Fuller	3	10-5
228	Happy Chappy, a (Marks)	100	4	.....	1 1	1 ½	2 1	5 ½	Perrine	3	10-5
225	Mc) Lowery, 4 (A. Goodin)	99	6	.....	5	6	6 ½	6 ½	McDaniel	10	25
(326)	Riceful, 4 (I. Glasscock)	95	7	.....	7 1	7 4	7 3	7 1	Moriarity	15	100
.....	Amiate, a (R. W. Nelson)	107	6	.....	5 h	6 1	8	8	J. Booker	10	100
.....	Yule Tide, 5 (A. G. Fanning)	103		Left at post					Snyder	20	100

Time—0:21, 0:46, 1:14.
Scratched—Discus.
Post 1:00. At post 5 min. Start good. Won easily. Second the same.
King place 2, show 4-5; Gem place 1, show 1-2; Christian show 2½.
Winner b. g., 5, King William-Circe. Trained by owner.
King moved up like flash entering stretch; took an easy command sixteenth out, winning as rider pleased. Gem reserved for stretch run; came fast last eighth, finishing resolutely, but too late to be of any advantage. Christian saved ground by swinging to rail turning for home; came fast last sixteenth, easily passing Edinborough final 100 yards. Latter tired fast when final drive came. Chappy showed speed for half-mile, then stopped suddenly; can do much better. Yuletide refused to break.

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(342)	Freesias, 4 (J. A. Wernberg)	95	2	2 ½	2 1	2 5	3 6	1 h	T. Taylor	2	5
249	Varro, a (S. M. Williams)	107	3	3 1	2 4	1 h	1 1	2 ½	W. Dugan	8-5	16-5
249	Montana Peeress, 4 (Coffey)	105	1	1 2	1 h	2 3	2 ½	3 8	Kent	7-5	7-10
228	Headstrong, 5 (J. Kane & Co.)	107	4	4 h	4 1	3 4	4 3	4 3	Kotis	6	20
232	Little Adele, 5 (P. S. Roberts)	100	5	5	5	5	5	5	Hogg	10	40
249	Turtle, 4 (I. Glasscock)	102	6	Fell					Kunz	10	100
342	Straggler, a (Mrs. Bowerk)	107	7	Fell					J. Booker	8	20

Time—0:24½, 0:49½, 1:15, 1:42, 1:49.
Post 2:16. At post 1 min. Start good. Won easily. Second same.
Freesias place 2-2, show 1-2; Varro place 4-5, show 1-2; Peeress out.
Winner ch. m., Hawthorne-Miss Mayme. Trained by E. Bodenbeck.
Freesias not called on until entering stretch; moved up fast final eighth, holding others safe last sixteenth, Taylor purposely drawing fine finish. Varro faltered for an instant opposite final eighth post, but rallied in closing strides, finishing resolutely under keen urging. Peeress tired palpably final sixteenth, and has undoubtedly had too much of it. Headstrong under sleepy ride; ran at about even rate throughout. Peeress threw Freesias up against rail in striving for lead at first turn, causing a mix-up in which Turtle went down heavily and Straggler fell over him.

357 THIRD RACE—Slauson course. Purse. Three-year-olds. Value to first, $225.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
221	Blue Coat, 3 (J. McLaughlin)	106	3	.....	1 2	1 2	1 1½	1 h	Fuller	2	16-5
(223)	Ralph Reese, 3 (Cushing)	105	2	.....	4 20	4 25	3 1	2 1½	E. Walsh	8-5	5-2
(322)	Sweet Kittie Bellairs, 3 (Price)	92	4	.....	2 1	2 1	2 1	3 4	W. Miller	2	7-5
227	Briarthorpe, 4 (Wernberg)	91	1	.....	3 3	3 2	4	4	J. Kelly	4	8
286	Bugle Horn, 4 (B. F. Hobart)	95	5	.....	5	5	5	5	McHugh	10	40

Time—0:24, 0:48, 1:00½, 1:36½.
Post 2:35. Off at once. Start good. Won hand ridden. Second easily.
Coat place 4-5; Reese place 2-5; all out show.
Winner b. c., 3, Ben Strome-Blue Jacket. Trained by owner.
Overweight—Blue Coat, 1½.
Coat at his best; ran good race under skillful pilotage; off flying, he showed high order of speed throughout, but had to be hand ridden out last 100 yards. Fuller holding him together cleverly. Reese made up ground fast last quarter, finishing resolutely under keen urging; was fast wearing winner down in closing strides. Bellairs tired badly last eighth. Stirrup broke on Belle just after start and she was pulled up.

358 FOURTH RACE—One mile and one-eighth. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op	Cl.
239	Watercure, a (J. D. Millin)	108	3	2 n	2 4	2 3	2 1	1 h	Fuller	8-5	12-5
(242)	Blissful, 5 (L. A. Bonsack)	101	4	1 n	1 h	1 ½	1 3	2 3	McDaniel	3	4
242	Ralph Young, 4 (Schwacker)	96	5	3 10	3 5	3 5	3 10	3 1	Moriarity	3-5	6-5
227	Briarthorpe, 4 (Wernberg)	91	1	4 5	4 9	4 9	4 6	4 7	Taylor	8	20
286	Bugle Horn, 4 (B. F. Hobart)	95	2	5	5	5	5	5	Kent	12	7

Time—0:23, 0:50, 1:15, 1:41½, 1:54½.
Post 3:05. At post 1 min. Start good. Won driving. Second easily.
Watercure place 7-10, show 1-2; Blissful place 8-5, show 3-5; Young out.
Winner ch. g., 4, Watercress-Lena's First. Trained by owner.
Watercure faltered turning for home and appeared to be beaten eighth out next rail, but Fuller sat down and rode desperately. Watercure responding gamely, and gradually wore down Blissful, sticking his head over in very last stride under a splendid ride. Blissful was best; showed speed throughout and appeared winner last sixteenth, but McDaniel was too weak to do her justice, and she finished resolutely on her own courage. Young under weak ride; tired fast final eighth, Moriarity being no help. Briarthorpe finished fast.

359 FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(291)	Dalvay, 4 (M. H. Tichenor Co.)	114	2	.....	2 2½	2 1½	1 ½	1 2	E. Walsh	1-4	2-10
315	Tim Payne, 4 (Wernberg)	105	3	.....	2 1	1 1	2 3	2 2½	T. Taylor	3	7-2
.....	Ora Viva, 5 (C. T. Henshall)	108	1	.....	1 h	2 h	3 2	3 5	J. Kelly	25	100
245	Fustian, 5 (W. T. Anderson)	105	4	.....	4	4	4	4	Dillon	30	50

Time—0:24, 0:48½, 1:12½.
Post 3:39. Off at once. Start good. Won easily. Second same.
Dalvay and Payne out place and show; Viva show 6-5.
Winner ch. h., 4, The Commoner-Leviasa. Trained by H. McDaniel.
Scratched—Counterpoise, 8.
Dalvay began slowly; was cut off first quarter, had to go around; moved up fast entering stretch, cut off Payne final eighth, and held him perfectly safe all through final sixteenth, winning as rider pleased. Payne finished resolutely under keen urging, but had no chance to beat winner; was thoroughly beaten when cut off. Viva tired fast final eighth. Race should do Fustian good, and he is worth remembering hereafter.

360 SIXTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds. Value to first, $225.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
232	Girdlestone, 3 (James Curl)	107	3	2 2	2 2½	1 2	1 2½	1 1	Kent	7-5	4-5
319	Del Coronado, 3 (Angarola)	96	1	3 n	3 1½	2 1½	2 1½	2 1½	Moriarity	8	12
211	Cotillion, 3 (F. Regan)	99	4	4 2	4 4	5 4	5 5	3 h	W. Miller	8	8
145	Milton Young, 3 (Williams)	103	5	5 3	5 3	4 h	4 2	3 1	W. Dugan	5-2	16-5
213	The Gadfly, 3 (W. S. Price)	105	6	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 4	5 4	Lynch	7-2	7
229	Fair Light, 3 (Gorman & B.)	97	2	1 1½	1 h	3 h	4 4	6	M. Wood	20	40

Time—0:25½, 0:50½, 1:42½.
Post 4:06. At post 1 min. Start good. Won easily. Second same.
Girdlestone place 1-5, out show; Coronado place 3½, show 4-5; Cotillion 4-5.
Winner ch. c., 3, Prince of Monaco-Onwentsia. Trained by owner.
Scratched—Mart Gentry.
Girdlestone forced sharp pace down back stretch, running Light into submission by time head of stretch had been reached, then came away easily, holding others safe final sixteenth. Coronado stood stretch drive gamely, finishing resolutely. Cotillion outstayed Young in sharp last sixteenth struggle. Latter ran dull race under listless ride; can do better. Light thoroughly beaten turning for home.

BAD SPILL IN SECOND RACE.

Two Horses and Riders are Thrown Down.

Dalvay Shows up Tim Payne Very Nicely.

Favorites Win but Two of the Six Races.

Montana Peeress, the favorite in the second race at Ascot yesterday, tried to cut into the rail position from the middle of the track just after the start and a bad mix-up of jockeys and horses resulted.

Peeress shot into the lead at once and as the start was a good one the field of seven bunched up in a jam at the first turn. Peeress was slightly in the lead in the center of the track and when she cut over to the rail Taylor on Freesias pulled up to avoid the crush. As he did so Turtle bumped into Freesias, was knocked off his stride and fell; and right behind him came the bob-tailed Straggler that went down in a heap over Turtle, jockeys Kunz on Turtle and Booker on Straggler being thrown violently to the ground as the other horses went on chasing themselves around the track. Booker was practically unhurt but Kunz was severely shaken and was hurriedly rushed to the jockey's room.

When Straggler had freed himself of his rider he ran around the track after the other horses, but Turtle was struggling on the ground trying to get up. He could not do it, and after an examination it was concluded that he had wrenched his back in such a manner as to produce temporary paralysis. He was finally taken to the outside of the track and his owner stated that with careful treatment the horse might be saved.

This was not the only incident of the day, the other being in the fifth or Dalvay race when Jockey Walsh on Dalvay and Kelly on Ora Viva were each fined $50 for sharp practice.

This race was closely watched because of the desire to see whether Dalvay could beat such a known sprinter as Tim Payne. He did it and very decisively by two lengths after conceding Payne nine pounds in the weights. It was really only a little exercise gallop for the winner and he showed that he could have gone on for a mile without particular urging. Ora Viva and Tim Payne started out to set the pace and ran locked together for half a mile, with Dalvay almost two lengths behind. Then when they were turned straight for the run home through the stretch Walsh shook up Dalvay a trifle and he went by the others easily. Fustian, the only other starter, was badly beaten off and was never in the running from the start. It might be remarked that there was very little money bet on this race for Dalvay was held at the fierce odds of 1 to 4, Tim Payne at 1 to 3 a place, Fustian at 2 to 5 a show and Ora Viva at 6 to 5 a show. Few could do anything with these odds.

Dalvay at 1 to 4 and Girdlestone in the last race at even money were the only favorites to win of the six. Elfin King at 6 to 1 beat the 2 to 1 favorite My Gem in the first race; Montana Peeress, the favorite ran third to Freesias at 5 to 1 in the second; the post favorite Sweet Kittie Bellairs ran third to Blue Coat at 2 to 1 in the third race and the favorite Ralph Young ran third to Watercure at 2 to 1 in the fourth. Yesterday was certainly a bad day for favorites.

TODAY'S RACES.

The card today is as follows:

FIRST RACE—One mile and a sixteenth, selling; three-year-olds and upward.

343	Churchlight	101
343	Mi Reina	99
343	Louwelsea	99
343	Ed Guinzburg	99
226	*William F. M.	96
343	*Past Master	96
336	*Flora Bright	94
336	*Turtle	91

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward.

354	Aunt Polly	115
152	Miss Provo	115
312	Emily Oliver	115
242	Dorice	113
254	*Rose of Hilo	110
348	Bandillo	107
348	Metlakatla	105
348	Huapala	105
304	*Ocyrohe	105
107	*Hindoo Princess	102
338	*Mammon	102
328	*Funny Side	100

THIRD RACE—One mile, handicap; three-year-old and upward.

(351)	Emperor of India	120
339	**Schoolmate	113
351	**Arabo	102
(334)	Delagoa	102
341	Wm. Wright	98
	**W. S. Price entry.	

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs, purse; three-year-olds and upward.

...	Frank L. Perley	102
357	Ralph Reese	98
295	Dr. Tom	99
...	George Berry	99
216	Gorgalete	97
357	Head Dance	94
291	Hilona	93
321	Witchel Hazel	89
273	The Novice	83

FIFTH RACE—One mile and a sixteenth, selling; four-year-olds and upward.

246	Ray	109
(346)	Golden Light	106
246	Akela	101
(299)	*Invictus	101
342	*Chub	101
...	*Ripper	98
348	*Canejo	94

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs, selling; three-year-olds and upward.

323	Ethel Becht	113
259	*Lanark	110
226	Estrellada	107
301	Laura F. M.	107
328	Sugden	109
254	Palmist	109
157	Merry Sport	109
322	*MacFlecknoe	104
134	*Chief Aloha	104
91	*Carlisle	105
322	*Punctilio	102
247	*Isabute	100

*Apprentice allowance.

TODAY'S DOPE.

First—Mi Reina, Churchlight, Flora Bright.

Second—Metlakatla, Dorice, Funny Side.

Third—Schoolmate, William Wright, Emperor.

Fourth—Witch Hazel, Ralph Reese, Hilona.

Fifth—Golden Light, Chub, Canejo.

Sixth—MacFlecknoe, Laura F. M., Chief Aloha.

POGGENBURG WITHDRAWS.

BILLIARD TOURNEY AFFECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—J. Ferdinand Poggenburg of New York, amateur billiardist, was forced to withdraw from the national amateur billiard tournament today because of the death in New York of his mother. Yesterday, H. A. Wright of San Francisco was summoned home by a telegram telling that his father had been stricken with apoplexy.

New Orleans Results.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 1.—Five and a half furlongs: Wreath of Ivy won, Esperance second, Flora Devy third; time 1:11 3-5.

Half mile: Judge Parker won, Grey Dal second, Filatory third; time 0:53.

Mile: Lieut. Rice won, Mr. Jack second, Lineal third; time 1:47 1-5.

Six and a half furlongs: Lord French won, Dusky Secret second, Roger Smith third; time 1:25 1-5.

Mile and a quarter: Harry New won, Lady Mistake second, Gracious third; time 2:21 4-5.

Five furlongs: La Grecque won, Bride second, Belle Bernard third; time 1:05.

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POLYTECHNICS BEAT WOODBURY IN UNUSUAL GAME.

Losers are Shut Out in Full Nine Innings of Play, Lasting Only One Hour—Amateur Pitchers are in Rare Form and Prove Unhittable. Losers Want Another Game.

The crack nine of Polytechnic High School shut out Woodbury's team yesterday afternoon at Prager Park in one of the most remarkable games of baseball ever played on an amateur diamond here or anywhere else. Final score was 1 to 0, and the game was finished in exactly one hour. Errors and base hits were almost equally scarce; both pitchers were in good form, the Polytechnics scoring the only run off Ganahl in the first inning when Heigman led off with a single, took second on a passed ball and came home on another safe shot by the pitcher, Slaughter, who thus won his own game. Ganahl struck out thirteen batsmen.

These two teams were hot on each other's trail all last year, and yesterday's game was played to settle the squabble of two weeks ago. The Woodburys are not satisfied that the Polytechnics are the best, and another match will be framed up in a few weeks.

Score:

POLYTECHNIC HIGH.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Heisman, ss	4	1	2	1	1	1	0
Frampton, 2b	3	0	0	0	4	4	0
Elliott, 1b	3	0	0	0	3	0	1
Slaughter, p	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
Colbath, c	3	0	0	0	10	1	1
Wirsching, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
McLellan, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryson, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goot, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	27	1	3	2	27	8	2

WOODBURY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hilliard, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Isminger, ss	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Slack, 1b	4	0	1	1	6	0	0
White, c	4	0	0	0	12	1	0
Olson, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tyler, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
DeNormandie, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0	0
Williams, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ganahl, p	3	0	1	0	1	1	1
Totals	29	0	2	3	24	7	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Polytechnic	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Base hits	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—2
Woodbury	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Base hits	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0—2

SUMMARY.

Bases on balls—Off Slaughter, 2; off Ganahl, 1.
Double plays—Tyler to Hilliard to Slack.
Struck out—By Slaughter, 9; by Ganahl, 13.
Passed balls—White, 1.
Time of game—1h.
Umpire—Ely.

FIELD DAY PLANS.

ENTRIES AT U.S.C.

Unless rain should fall heavily this morning, the cinder path at U.S.C. field will be in good enough shape for the track meet scheduled to occur in the afternoon.

All the regular events except the two mile run are included. The order will be as follows: One hundred and twenty-yard hurdles, 100-yard dash, half-mile run, 220-yard dash, 220-yard hurdles, 440-yard dash, mile run, shot put, 12 pounds; hammer throw, 12 pounds; pole vault, high and broad jump.

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WESTERN JOCKEY CLUB'S PLAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Authoritative statements made today by turf followers in the confidence of the officials of the Western Jockey Club are to the effect that the much discussed "outlaw" rule, which has been a thorn in the side of the Western Jockey Club since the date of its birth in 1901, will be modified at a meeting in Chicago, next Monday, so that owners may choose the track on which they care to compete without fear of being interfered with by any western racing association.

Capt. Rice, who is familiar to western race frequenters from having campaigned Revenue Chimes and other horses, including Little Crete, the latter the medium of one of the gigantic coups during former racing days, will be one of the turfmen to be benefited by the withdrawal of the "outlaw" rule, as he subjected himself to turf exile last summer by competing with his string at the Union Jockey Club's "unrecognized" meeting at St. Louis.

MOWATT ACCEPTS NEIL.

WEIGHT LIMIT TROUBLESOME.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tommy Mowatt has accepted the challenge of Frankie Neil, and declares that if Neil will

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BUSINESS.

The mass of stocks offered to the market at New York yesterday was somewhat heavier than could be comfortably absorbed, and the prevailing tone was heavy. There were heavy engagements of gold for Paris. A slump in the wheat market occurred late in the day at Chicago. May closed at 1.18¼@1.18¾.

FREIGHT RATES AND POLITICS.

It is a fact clearly apparent that an attempt is to be made by W. J. Bryan and other Democratic leaders to make political capital out of the question of freight-rate regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Mr. Bryan has already taken the first step in that direction by visiting the White House and assuring the President that he (Bryan) is strictly in accord with the President's views touching the regulation of railroad rates. Evidently Mr. Bryan imagines that he can discern a coming disagreement between the President and Congress, with a probability that there will be no action by this Congress—and perhaps none by the Fifty-ninth Congress—on this highly important question. In the latter eventuality Mr. Bryan would doubtless expect to have the issue injected into the Congressional campaign of 1906, with a view to following it up in the Presidential campaign of 1908, with no less a person than Bryan as the standard-bearer for the Democratic hosts in that year.

The necessity for placing some check upon railroad discrimination and greed, by stopping rebates, overcharges and other abuses, has long been apparent, and the sincerity of the President in advocating increased powers for the Interstate Commerce Commission is unquestionable. But there is no warrant for dragging this question into politics, nor for injecting political rancor into the discussion. It is a question too vitally important to the welfare of the entire country to be made the football of politics. Public opinion will surely condemn any attempt in this direction, whether it be put forward by Democrats or Republicans, Senators or Representatives in Congress.

There is not much fear that the House will refuse to support the President in this matter. The House is nearer to the people than the Senate, and is more amenable to the influence of public opinion. But the Senate, it is to be confessed with humiliation, contains a large number of members who owe their election, either wholly or in part, to the great railroad and corporation interests. The action of the Senate upon this question is, therefore, problematical. With that body rests, in a large degree, the decision whether this question of freight regulation shall become a political issue or not. If it be made a political issue, the Republican party, being the party in power, will certainly suffer.

If the Senate will work harmoniously with the House and the President in this matter, the question will be disposed of in such manner as to leave Mr. Bryan and his associates without an issue upon which to make capital against the Republican party.

The Russian situation is awakening anarchists from their comatose condition in all parts of the world. It will be no surprise to hear that Johann Most is again appearing at his former haunts with the same old deadly stein making fast trips from the bar to the round table.

Among the strange things that happen in Los Angeles may be mentioned the case of a man who had money in the bank but died without friends. It is only fair to state, however, that a great many people, had they known about the money, would have gladly offered their friendship.

Speaking of things coming easy, what's the matter with the way it rains this winter?

DISCREDITING THE AUTO.

The automobile is a useful vehicle, and its usefulness will probably grow as time passes, as its construction is improved and as its price is cheapened so as to bring it within the reach of persons of moderate means. This will doubtless come about in time. The automobile is still in an infantile stage of development. Yet, crude as it is, the demand for it is such as to tax to their full capacity the shops where it is manufactured.

Clumsy, crude and costly as they are, the various styles and grades of auto-vehicles find ready sale in all parts of the country, and the industry has already attained to enormous proportions. This fact, in itself, is enough to show that there is an extensive field for self-propelling vehicles—a field which manufacturers have as yet hardly begun to fill; for at present the automobile is used chiefly as a pleasure vehicle. The stage of its practical usefulness can hardly be said to have been reached.

Many persons question the usefulness and the ultimate value of the automobile, except as a pleasure vehicle. The quite general prevalence of this adverse opinion, and the actual prejudice which some persons entertain against self-propelled vehicles of all kinds, may be traced principally to the abuses of the automobile, an not at all to its rational, sensible use. The abuses referred to have been so flagrant, whether in city or country, as inevitably to bring the vehicle into more or less disrepute. Reckless driving on city streets and on country roads is a serious menace to life and limb. It is dangerous alike to the "chauffeur," to those for whose safety he is responsible, and to the public.

Then there is the racing fever, which has been carried to unreasonable lengths, and which seems likely to be carried still further before a halt is called. It may be possible to build a machine which can be propelled a mile in thirty seconds, or even less, over an ordinary road. Suppose it is? Of what benefit would such a machine be to anybody, for any practical purpose? Nobody cares to ride at the rate of two miles per minute over ordinary roads or over any roads, for such speed would be impracticable and dangerous under any known conditions.

The automobile is all right, in itself. It is not necessarily a menace to life and limb. It has come to be so regarded because of the recklessness and folly of fool-"chauffeurs" and fool-racers, who lose what little sense they possess when they get hold of the controlling levers of an auto. It is only a small proportion of autoists who drive their machines at dangerous rates of speed. The great majority, who are careful, would perform a public service by assisting, through their organizations, in prosecuting all infractions of the law. There is need for practical work of this kind right here in Los Angeles.

CONCEALED WEAPONS.

It is at least a debatable question whether the ordinance against carrying concealed weapons tends to diminish crime or to increase it. The theory of the law is right enough. It is held that if the carrying of concealed weapons were generally permitted, impulsive men so armed would often use the weapons with deadly effect in an emergency, whereas, if there were opportunity for the "sober second thought," wiser counsels would prevail, and a crime would be avoided. There is, of course, much force to this argument, for without doubt some shootings are avoided because of the absence of weapons at the critical moment.

But the real question is whether the good thus accomplished is sufficient to overbalance the evil. It is a notorious fact that thugs and robbers pay no attention to the ordinance against carrying concealed weapons. Sometimes they are caught with such weapons upon their person and obliged to pay a small fine for violation of the law, and not infrequently a criminal is held upon this charge, pending the investigation of other and more serious charges against him. In this way the law serves a useful purpose. But its larger result appears to be to place the honest, law-abiding citizen at a disadvantage when he is confronted by an armed ruffian. In hundreds of cases which have occurred in this city within the past few years, highwaymen have escaped because of the fact that the person or persons whom they have robbed, or others who have witnessed the robberies, were unarmed, and so were unable to make any effective resistance.

Perhaps it is well enough to let the inhibition stand, in general terms. But it is morally certain that the public good and the public safety would be better conserved by making it easier for the average citizen of good character to carry weapons with which to protect himself against assault and robbery. Instead of requiring the citizen to pay three dollars per year for the privilege of carrying a weapon (as prescribed by the ordinance of May 19, 1904,) it would be well to issue permits free of charge to all persons who can show that they are respectable and law-abiding. If every thug and robber infesting the city know that he runs a risk of being shot whenever he attempts to hold up a citizen, there would be fewer hold-ups and fewer burglaries.

The frequency with which crimes of this character have been committed in Los Angeles, and the frequency with which those who have committed these crimes have escaped the clutches of the law, is a disgrace to our city. It serves to give the impression abroad that crime and lawlessness run rampant here without check. This, of course, is not true; but there is enough basis of truth to warrant the adoption of drastic measures to put a stop to the reign of crime which comes to us with each winter's crop of criminal tourists. We cannot have a policeman on every corner throughout the large area of the city. But it would be an undoubted help to the peace officers if reputable citizens generally were permitted to carry guns, and to use them effectively when occasion arises for such use.

It must be rather trying on the nerves of a town like Sacramento to be subjected to a deep, deadly dose of innocuous desuetude two years handrunning at a time and then find itself thrown into a sixty days' spasm while the State Legislature is in session.

The dispatches from Grodno, in Russia, state that "a mob of 2000 strikers destroyed the postoffice and telegraph line and looted the wine shops." The picture is so vivid as to almost remind one of happy days in Chicago.

Notwithstanding the fact that Los Angeles is enveloped in a religious atmosphere at the present writing, it is still necessary, owing to the presence of unattached outsiders, to lock the doors and windows at night.

It is, of course, a relief to learn that the Russian government will not hang Maxim Gorky, the author, but on the other hand we must prepare ourselves for the certainty that he will write a book about his escape.

It appears now that Johann Hoch is not such a bad man as he was at first reported to be. Instead of killing thirteen of his wives he killed only twelve.

The women of Kansas are now to be given the right to vote. They previously had all the other rights to which men were entitled, and a few besides.

Y.M.C.A. BUILDING.

An Appeal for Funds to Build an Adequate Home for the Organization.

The following circular has been widely distributed:

To Every one: We, the undersigned, appeal to every one to help secure funds for the erection of a Young Men's Christian Association Building in Los Angeles, to cost about three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars. Money can be sent or taken to V. S. Bartlett, treasurer, Union Bank of Savings, 223 South Spring street, Los Angeles. To those subscribing we would state that subscriptions can be paid at reasonable intervals to suit the convenience of donors.

The Y.M.C.A. owns an excellent site, unincumbered, and now our appeal is for a building, so that no Los Angeles young man, or a stranger here coming, can ever say, "No man careth for my soul."

Others, and we, ourselves, have already contributed according to our means.

We issue this appeal with confidence in God, in the willingness of the people to co-work in this needed blessing and protection to Los Angeles manhood.

Won't you help?

Signed by the Board of Directors: Frederick H. Rindge, president; Arthur Letts, vice-president; W. S. Bartlett, treasurer; A. P. Fleming, secretary; David K. Edwards, A. B. Cass, Eli P. Clark, Gail Borden, W. E. McVay, Gregory Perkins, A. J. Wallace.

HEARST MEN FRANTIC.

The Worst "Scoop" That Ever Happened in Boston—Hot Water Coming.

[Special to the San Francisco Call.]

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Hearst's Boston American printed an advance edition of 200,000 copies containing an account of the acquittal of Charles L. Tucker, the man convicted of the murder of Mabel Page. When the verdict of conviction was rendered the frantic publishers made a desperate attempt to recall the edition, but it was too late.

The deception of the reading public, however, is not the gravest part of the offense. Attorney General Parker has a copy of the "not guilty" publication, and it is said that action which is contemplated looks to the punishment of the managers or owners of the American for anticipating the verdict of the jury, and by publishing and circulating a false report assuming to speak for the jury and so coming within the meaning of contempt of court.

PERSONAL.

Louis P. Boardman, a lawyer of San Francisco, is at the Van Nuys.

E. Z. Wainwright, a brewer of Pittsburgh, Pa., is at the Westminster.

J. H. Bullard, a St. Paul jeweler, is at the Westminster with his wife.

James Westwater, a general contractor of Columbus, O., is registered with his wife at the Angelus.

John P. Dengler, an attorney of New York City, is among yesterday's arrivals at the Van Nuys. His wife accompanies him.

A. Ditmas and wife and C. A. Ditmas, for whose family a large residence tract in Brooklyn, N. Y., is named, are at the Hollenbeck.

MINES AND MINING.

INYO COUNTY TO THE FORE.

Important Discovery Near Old Coso Diggings.

New Process for Extraction of Values from Ore.

Valuable Secret Owned by Los Angeles Men.

What promises to be a most important mineral discovery is being opened up in the near vicinity of Old Coso, Inyo county, which was at one time the scene of operations by Senator Hearst and others, and which, prior to the time of the Indian massacre, was one of the principal mining camps in California.

This discovery is situated about twenty-two miles south of Keeler, at an elevation of 6200 feet above sea level. It occurs under a capping of limestone that is crossed by the old stage road running from Junction to Keeler. This capping is over 1200 feet in width, and appears to be continuous for over 6000 feet in length. The first hole was drilled three feet deep, and a shot put in uncovered ore of a uniform grade running over 50 per cent. copper and averaging from $9 to $22 in gold and $5 in silver per ton.

This property consists of fourteen full-size claims, and is being opened up by the Inyo Copper Company, under the management of Los Angeles men, and is now owned chiefly by the International Trust Company of this city. The company has installed electric machinery and power drills, with the confident expectation of developing a vast deposit of very high-grade ore.

NEW REFINING PROCESS.

When sufficient ore has been developed a reduction plant will be installed to refine the copper, gold and silver direct from the ore by a new process in which electric deposition will be an important factor. In using this process the ore will first be pulverized to a 30-mesh and placed in vats or tanks, in which it will be subjected to from three to five hours' treatment with a chemical combination that will place the gold, silver and copper in solution, from which these metals will be collected by electric deposition in a highly refined state.

The new process is a secret, so far as the nature of the chemical solution used is concerned, but in most other parts there is no concealment, and yesterday a Times reporter witnessed a demonstration by President C. E. Johnson at the company's offices in the Braly building. The solution is white, and looks like water; it has little smell, and it is only when it is put into use by mixing it with the ore, that has first been beaten to a powder, that its chemical powers become evident. Quickly, under its influence the copper is extracted. In the actual work at the mines the electric process will be applied and the copper turned out in sheets.

The process has not been patented, and the solution used has not even received a name. It was worked out by officers of the company in this city, and President Johnson says it is not for sale.

POOR RAILROAD FACILITIES.

Inyo county has been held back for lack of railway facilities, both from a mining and an agricultural standpoint, there being a tremendous area of agricultural lands, with abundant irrigation facilities, lying to the north of Keeler, in Owens River Valley.

The narrow-gauge railway running from Keeler to Carson City has always charged high rates and given poor service, and this, together with the long and expensive haul to San Francisco and other markets, has made it practically impossible to export produce at a profit, or to import supplies at living prices.

The opening up of Goldfield and Tonopah, and the settling up of Owens River Valley, have increased the demand for provisions to the extent that railway traffic is in a badly congested condition, nearly 1000 cars loaded with freight for this region having been tied up at Mound House for several months.

TRIBUTARY TO CITY.

A glance at the map of California and Nevada is sufficient to convince any intelligent mind that Los Angeles is the natural market and source of supply for all of the territory south of Carson City, and one has only to become acquainted with the natural mineralogical and agricultural conditions to realize that the trade from this vast section, developed as it soon will be, would add millions of dollars per annum to the business of Los Angeles were a line built from either Johannesburg or Mojave to Keeler.

NEW LOCAL COMPANY.

The Oregonian Placer and Quartz Mining Company has just been organized under the laws of Arizona with a capitalization of $2,500,000 by local mining men. Among those interested are M. M. Davisson, Uriah Thomas, T. C. Newman, W. T. Carter, Thomas Campbell, Howard Boyer and others. The property to be operated in Oregon is said to be extremely rich, gold sample nuggets of great value having been brought in by those who examined it.

The Jessie Bell Mining, Milling and Smelting Company of this city will put the mill just established on its property in Madera county into operation today for the first time. The mill is of fifty tons capacity.

FAVOR ITS PASSAGE.

Chamber of Commerce Directors Urge Support of Anti-Stamp Bill, Other Measures.

At the meeting yesterday of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce Committee on Mercantile Affairs, to which was referred the anti-stamp bill now before the State Legislature, reported favorably on the bill, and Secretary Wiggins was instructed to ask representatives from this section of the State to favor passage of the bill. The Merchants' Association of San Francisco referred the matter to the chamber here, and asked support of the measure.

The Secretary was further instructed to request representatives to oppose both the original and substitute bills in the Senate providing for a tax levy of 2 cents on $100 valuation for the purpose of furthering the work of chambers of commerce, boards of trade and promotion committees. The board considered the present law governing immigration sufficient to carry on this work throughout the State.

The indorsement of the recession of the Yosemite Valley to the United States was discussed, and the secretary was instructed to again wire representatives asking them to support the measure which comes up in the Senate today.

NEW NIGHT SCHOOL.

Institutional Work Begun by African Methodist Church—Lectures for Girls.

A night school for colored boys and men is to be carried on among the negroes of Los Angeles.

The school will open next Monday night in the side rooms of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Eighth and Towne avenue. The prospects are good for a large attendance.

The work is intended as an aid to any of the colored people who stand in need of it; but it is backed by the African Methodist Church Society. It is but the beginning of institutional work that has long been planned by that organization.

The sessions will convene at 8 o'clock on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Mrs. Alexander Burrell, who was for fifteen years a teacher in the public schools of Washington, D. C., will have charge of the teaching of the ordinary branches, and Miss Helen Warner, who is a graduate of a well-known eastern business college, will teach stenography and typewriting. Rev. J. E. Edwards will give special instructions, and other teachers will be provided from time to time for any special branches for which there seems to be a demand.

In addition to this school for men and boys, it is proposed to have a series of afternoon and evening lectures for the young women by speakers on household economics, first aid to the injured, care of the body and other useful and practical topics.

There is a space of 30x82 feet at the rear of the church which will be fitted up for an outdoor gymnasium, and it is hoped an adjoining vacant lot can be secured for handball and basket-ball courts.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

SHUTS DOWN IN OLINDA FIELD.

BECAUSE ROCKEFELLER WON'T BUY, IT IS SAID.

Santa Fe Drilled There to Get Fuel but Instead Got Refining Oil—Water Causes Trouble in Kern River Wells—Boring to Go Ahead in Arizona—Union's Prosperity.

The Santa Fé has shut down its light oil properties in the Olinda field, the product of which it has been selling to the Standard Oil Company for refining purposes. It is said that the shut-down is due to the fact that for the present at least Mr. Rockefeller does not want to buy the oil—presumably because of alleged overproduction.

The railroad company drilled at Olinda in the effort to get fuel oil. Instead it got a light refining oil in some of the property, but while this was not what was wanted for its own use, it could be easily sold for a good price, and therefore the development was continued, the wells pumped and the oil sold at a price that made the property a good paying proposition, the light oil bringing a price far in excess of that paid by the company for fuel oil, which it purchases at Kern River, Sunset and Coalinga, when it does not produce it from its own properties at Fullerton and Kern River.

It is possible that the large development of refining oil at Santa Maria, where the Standard recently cut prices 50 per cent., may have something to do with the reported declination of the Standard to buy more of the Olinda oil at present.

WATER AT KERN RIVER.

The Santa Fé's troubles with water on the Petroleum Development property at Kern River are said to be increasing rather than diminishing. When shut out at one point the water breaks in at another so that the property is not becoming a paying proposition for the company that bought it at a high price a few years ago. Several wells are reported to have gone to water within the last two weeks.

DRILLING IN ARIZONA.

The movement to drill for oil in the neighborhood of Tonto Basin, Ariz., seems to be taking on definite enough shape in this city as to the cost of drilling outfits to be shipped from the California fields. The movement is one of Arizona people and the active management seems to be in the hands of Wiley Jones, an attorney of Safford and Solomonville.

Local oil men who have visited the region say that there are excellent indications of the presence of petroleum, such as seepage and general geological formation. The location is within a short distance of the government's irrigation works at Tonto Basin, where oil is now being brought from California at an expense of about $5 per barrel, including a wagon haul of ninety miles. The contract is said to be held by parties in this city, and Kern River oil is being furnished. The Associated Oil Company was one of the bidders, but it is reported that independents got the plum. The conditions existing are such as to encourage the movement to drill for oil as, if it is found in paying quantities, a good market should be assured.

Persons who are drilling at San Pedro, near Tucson, are reported to be down 650 feet with strong gas pressure.

UNION OIL PROPERTY.

The net earnings of the Union Oil Company for 1904 were $500,000, of which $150,000 was paid out in dividends, leaving a surplus of $346,000 in the treasury. The total number of outstanding shares is 59,603. During the year the company purchased outright 35,069 acres of oil lands formerly leased under royalties. It now owns in fee or has under contract to purchase, 150,000 acres, 13,000 held under lease and 7000 acres of mining claims. Agricultural rights on lands of the company have been disposed of in this time amounting to $300,000, all oil rights being retained. Negotiations are on for the sale of additional agricultural lands to the amount of $150,000.

It was this prosperous condition as shown by the recent annual report of the officers that caused the raise in the regular dividends to a basis of 6 per cent. a year, now in effect. This condition is in large part independent of the recent developments at Santa Maria, most of which came only at the very close of the year, and thus will be able to give results only during 1905 and later. The company has now fourteen wells in this field, their average depth being 2650 feet. Manager Garbutt of the company's field and land department, states that drilling is comparatively on tap, and that results have been very satisfactory.

LOCAL ORGANIZATION.

Permanent organization was effected yesterday afternoon of the Southern California Oil Producers' Association, the necessary papers and authorization having been received from Sacramento. The following directors were elected: Morris Melzray, C. E. Price, Allen Craig, F. R. Kellogg, E. A. Clampitt, W. L. Young and John Ott. The directors held a meeting last night to consider plans of operations. Those signing the roll took only nominal blocks of stock, and the distribution will be determined later.

The following corporations, firms and individual producers operating in the city of Los Angeles signed:

Regal, Continental, Burlington, Oriel, Bernard and Carbon Cañon oil companies, represented by C. E. Price; Parker Oil Company; Wellington Oil Company and Parker, Morrill and Ott, by John Ott; United American Oil Company, by H. M. Black; Tyler Company, by F. R. Kellogg; Oceanic Oil Company, by J. Bergman; Whittier Consolidated, Alliance and O'Donnell companies, by Jesse Yarnell; McCray Oil Coompany, by Mrriss McCray; Young & Shaw and Young & Johnson, by W. L. Young. Berges Oil Company; Gardner Oil Company, by A. P. Robinson; John Connor; Southwestern Oil Company, by W. S. Tyler; Miller Oil Company; I. N. Richards; Dorn, Brouse & Price, by A. C. Brouse; J. Anderson, Dr. Lamb, Thos. Knight & Son, Clinton & Spencer, Palm Oil Company, by E. Kohlmeyer; Consolidated, Union Consolidated and Union Consolidated oil companies, by Allen Craig; Robinson Oil Company, Alpha Oil Company, Dr. Moore, E. A. Clampitt, John Connor, M. Manley.

The association has received a number of inquiries as to membership from operators in Fullerton, Whittier and other southern fields, but until it has all arrangements complete in regard to the local field, and all contracts signed, probably no other members will be received. When the organization gets into shape it may extend its scope so as to take in other fields and become in fact what its name implies, a Southern California association, not merely a Los Angeles organization.

SUNSET ACTIVE.

Information received by a local oil man interested at Sunset is to the effect that there is a revival of business there. The refinery of the California Consolidated Oil Fields Company is running full shifts and has orders for some time to come. Many properties are being developed and good shipments of oil made. The product is the fuel and road making variety.

The Santiago Oil and Development Company, the company of local capitalists that commenced drilling for oil a few weeks ago near Santa Ana, is now down 400 feet. Some gas has been struck, but as yet there is nothing definite in the way of results.

SHUT-DOWN IN MEXICO.

For lack of a ready market the Mexican Petroleum Company of this city has shut down most of its wells at Ebano, near Tampico, Mex., and has reduced its force to 300 men, and will probably make a still further reduction. The company has 400,000 barrels in storage, which is said to be enough to supply the present demand in Mexico for several months. The oil is a fuel variety, which was long wished for by the Mexican railroads and factories, but they are evidently slow about adopting its use.

ENGINES TO BURN OIL.

Directly following the report from Reno that the Southern Pacific has discontinued the use of oil on the lines in Nevada and Utah, comes the announcement that the California Northwestern Railroad has decided upon the use of oil for its locomotives, which have hitherto burned coal or wood. Presumably the oil for these will come from Kern River or Coalinga, which is already used by the Southern Pacific almost exclusively and by the Santa Fé largely.

NEW COALINGA PIPE LINE.

The contract for the new independent pipe line from Coalinga to tidewater has been let, and it is announced that a ten-inch pipe will be used, making it the largest of the three lines to tidewater, the Standard's great line being but eight inches and the Pacific Oil and Transportation Company's only six inches. Half a million barrels of oil have been contracted for.

Forty strings of tools are running at Coalinga, and the district is without doubt the busiest in California.

OUTDOOR SCHOOL.

Novel Plan to be Tried in Connection With Public Kindergarten About to be Opened.

An experiment in outdoor kindergarten work is to be tried by the Los Angeles Board of Education. The first school in which this novel feature is to be incorporated will be opened within a few days at the Twenty-fourth-street school. Its distinction will be in that much of the school time of the young pupils will be spent in the open air.

At an adjourned meeting of the board yesterday afternoon the Committee on Manual Training recommended and the board approved the establishment of a kindergarten at the Twenty-fourth-street school building. The room set aside for the purpose will be equipped for the accommodation of thirty-six pupils.

It was because the room is so small and poorly fitted to the needs of the undertaking that the proposal was made and adopted that some of the classes be held out of doors. In many other cities, where climatic conditions are less favorable than in Los Angeles, it was shown that young kindergartners spend a good part of their school hours in the open air.

The new class will be in charge of Miss Olga Dorn, a teacher of long experience, who is expected to elaborate the outdoor plan and possibly to shape it for general adoption.

CHANCE FOR POETS.

Lewis and Clark Exposition Management Offers Prize for a Bard.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 27.—A prize of $100 is offered by I. N. Fleischner, chairman of the Press and Publicity Committee of the Lewis and Clark Exposition for the best ballad written on the subject of the "Trail." The subject may be treated either in its historical aspect, as relating to the old Lewis and Clark trail which the hardy explorers followed on their trip to the Pacific, or the "Trail of 1905."

The amusement street of the Western World's Fair is called the "Trail," instead of the Midway or Pike, which were the nam s applied to the gayety boulevards of other expositions. The "Trail" is built on a bridge spanning Guild's Lake, a natural body of water forming the "grand basin" of the exposition. Many new features have been planned to grace this bridge this summer, and, on account of its location, much attention will be directed to aquatic attractions.

The competition for the best ballad on the "Trail" is open to all. Competent judges will be selected from the best-known literateurs of the Pacific Northwest, and the contest will close May 1. Invitations have been extended to all the well-known writers of verse and many good poems are expected to be submitted.

THE BROKEN GLASS.

When it was whole, across this misty fine
What images of strength and beauty passed!
Here was the loveliness of woman glassed,
Of children, too, and, only less divine,
The forms of rocks and trees, the glorious shine
Of suns and stars, and, wondrous, amassed,
The journeying clouds; beneath them, ocean's vast
Illimitable surge of restless brine.
'Tis shattered now, and all these things and more—
Great thoughts, imaginations strong and free—
Are in this glass reflected brokenly.
Crazed is the dance upon that polished floor.
Poor useless frame that held this sacred trust,
Too soon thou canst not crumble into dust!

—[Scribner's Magazine.

Political Opportunities.

That the United States is a country of political opportunities is strikingly illustrated in the career of Elmer Burkett of Nebraska, who will be the youngest member of the United States Senate when he takes his seat in the body. He was born in 1867 and is now 37 years old. Fifteen years ago he was a farm boy attending a college at Tabor, Iowa, paying for his tuition and supporting himself by performing the duties of a janitor, canvassing a laundry route and teaching school. Burkett is of Pennsylvania German ancestry and possesses the perseverance and thrift of his race. He practiced law for a season, drifted into politics and distinguished himself by succeeding the redoubtable William J. Bryan in Congress.—[Philadelphia Ledger.

JANUARY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of the circulation of The Times for January, 1905.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of January, 1905, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

JANUARY, 1905.

1	36,000	17	37,140
2	37,000	18	37,140
3	42,300	19	37,110
4	37,020	20	37,320
5	37,140	21	37,350
6	37,350	22	38,040
7	37,200	23	38,040
8	37,740	24	37,020
9	37,350	25	37,110
10	37,200	26	37,020
11	37,140	27	37,020
12	37,140	28	37,020
13	37,050	29	38,040
14	37,020	30	37,080
15	38,000	31	37,080
16	37,070		
Total			1,208,000

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of January, 1905.

(Seal) T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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The average circulation for every day of January, 1905, was	41,000
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ANOTHER MILESTONE PASSED! OVER THE 40,000 MARK.

The sworn circulation figures of The Times, for January, printed on this page, show the largest daily average in its history. The 40,000 mark is passed, and the road to 50,000 circulation begun. The large circulation gains of The Times are an index to the rapid growth in population in this section, and the time for 50,000 thousand daily circulation is not far distant.

The Times is prepared to prove that no other two papers in Los Angeles can approach its January figures with legitimate circulation.

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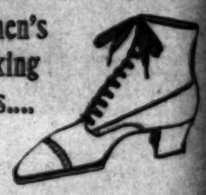

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THURSDAY, FEB

EVENTS IN SOCIETY

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The third table was presided over by Mrs. Samuel Behrendt, and was set under a huge Japanese umbrella. This represented a Japanese scene. In the center of the table a snow-capped Sujama mountain rose, and at its base a tiny Japanese city was represented. There boat houses and lakes and tiny citizens of Mikado land mingled, while narcissus and perfumed incense pervaded the room. Covers were marked with black cards with the names printed in red ink, Japanese fashion. Menus were written on rice paper wound about incense sticks. Mrs. Kaspare Behrendt wore black chantilly lace; Mrs. Kahn white chiffon taffeta with gold embroidery, and Mrs. Samuel Behrendt was becomingly gowned in black net spangled in silver. Decorations for the affair were in charge of Mrs. Kahn, assisted by Miss Waite. After the luncheon the guests were entertained with a stereopticon lecture on the World's Fair by Prof. B. R. Baumgardt. Eastern guests entertained were: Mrs. G. Meyer of St. Paul, Mrs. J. Rosenthal of Portland, Mrs. Sidney Spiegel of Chicago and Miss Florence Rothenberg of New York.

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For Montana Guests.

Mrs. H. A. d'Acheul of No. 1160 West Adams street entertained with a pretty tea yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. A. Broadwater, Mrs. M. A. Miller, Miss Chumasero and Miss Broadwater of Helena, Mont., who are spending the winter at the Hotel Raymond, Pasadena. Tea was served in the library and pink stock was utilized here, contrasting with the dainty blue tones of the room itself. In the drawing-room pink roses and Easter lilies were arranged with grace, and yellow roses arranged in large vases and baskets made the dining room lovely. More than one hundred guests passed in and out the hospitable doors during the afternoon. Assisting the hostess in receiving were: Mmes. Michael J. Connell, William May Garland, Henry Carlton Lee, John G. Mossin, Bert Harmon Marchant, Walter Leeds, E. Groshon, William H. Bonsall, W. G. Nevin and W. W. Dixon, the latter of Butte, Mont.; Misses Hattie Saunders, Louise Burke, Gertrude and Louise Nixon Hill.

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Notes and Personals.

Maj. H. M. Russell of No. 38 St. James Park has gone to New York for a short stay.

Richard Bernhart Berentson of Denver is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fitzgerald of East Colorado street.

Mrs. William Bell Carter of No. 627 Miami avenue has gone East on an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Poehler and the Misses Poehler are at home after a protracted stay in the East.

Sunday evening Miss Grace De War and Malcolm C. Robinson were married at the residence of Mr. Kurtz on Boyle Heights, Rev. F. H. Beck officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are both of San Diego. They will make their home in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Buell and Miss Hazel Buell of Detroit, N. Y., are entertaining a few friends at the Hotel del Coronado, Coronado Beach. Los Angeles guests include the Misses Hazel and Suzanne Siegel and Mr. Demontaine, Mr. Collins and Harry Buell.

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Every weave that Fashion approves, from luxuriously rich French embroidered stuffs at $2.50, down to printed Batistes at 15c a yard.

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NEW RAILROAD

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and engines and pulleys; punched down the city waterworks exactly like some dozen along the way. Came tent men and left the residence part of the city.

Two men constitute the town, or more accurately speaking, did constitute the town until yesterday.

One is the operator who sleeps alongside the telegraph instrument in his tent; the other is an engineer in charge of the pump station; he is working only to get a stake to go seeking mines in the hills; he "batches" in his tent alongside the tent of the operator.

They occupy a picturesque valley that some day will contain a little city. By reason of the good water it is already one of the most important stations along the route. At all hours of the night long water-tank trains are puffing through to the giant tank. One's inclination is to go out and hug the engineer.

The valley in which the town lies is beautiful. The grim precipitous mountains look down upon a sunny plateau, and the plateau looks down on a marshy rich lowland nestling under a wild line of craggy cliffs. Trees grow thick in the lowland; the land is rich and the water is plenty; the land is for whoever plants his stakes. The men there claim that it has never been taken up.

Two days ago a work train stopped there and unloaded new handcars, tools, picks and shovels and a gang of six or eight Mexicans. The boss was unloaded, too, a little weazened up Irishman who is to live all alone in the pretty section cottage which looks like a Swiss chalet, which a woman could transform into a bower of beauty.

THE GREAT WELL.

At Epson are more shops and a great well, the greatest it is claimed that ever was sunk in the desert. There are two houses built of log-cabin-set ties, also a cook-house.

Half way between sidings "nine" and "ten" is a lonely train containing a cook and a dining-room, where the men from the stone quarry eat.

At the head of the grade at Siding 21 is the most important town, so far as located on the California side; here is the administration train with the clerks and dispatchers. The land thereabouts used to be an old ranch. How anyone ever got an inspiration to place a ranch trere and what he could have ranched—is a mystery.

Sweeping down the slope, one comes in sight of the old mining town of Ivanpah.

Curiously enough, the best-known town in the whole valley is off the line of the road. It lies a white patch in the middle of a landscape so vast that it seems to run to the "ends of the morning."

Another town lies just at the entrance of Death Valley where the old trail curls up the hill and goes down the other side into hell. The old stage station of Roach and the old store are there.

The next boom town is at 31, which was the headquarters for the contractors working at the gap, where they kept in telegraphic touch with the engineers.

They call it Good Springs. The real Good Springs lies behind the shoulder of the hills nine miles away; it is an old mining camp. It seems likely to encounter the shock of a boom nearly as lively as Las Vegas, owing to the mining excitement. Miners in that camp claim to have located very rich copper ore.

THE FIRST BUG.

Along the California side through Nevada there are many germs of future towns, the beginning being the ever-present grog shop. There are a dozen of them from Siding 31 to Las Vegas. They are all just alike, a tent for the bar; a tent or two more for sociability and convenient proximity.

They seem impudent in the face of the awful surrounding gray emptiness.

At Sutor the Mormon contractors who are building the Nevada division of the road have established a series of supply houses, stores and warehouses to form the start of a little town.

So it is that westward the course of empire takes its way: first the water tank; the section house; the grog shop; the dives; then civilization.

UNDERTAKERS AROUSED.

Efforts to Revive Dormant law in Regard to Funeral Processions.

A Test Case.

Undertakers of the city are combining in an effort to have an old ordinance relating to funeral processions, enforced by the police. Since 1878 an ordinance has been in effect making it unlawful for a person to stop or break up a funeral procession by driving or riding between the carriages. This ordinance has not been strictly enforced during recent years, but so many stops and accidents have occurred recently that the undertakers have begun a fight for what they term their rights.

Yesterday a warrant for the arrest of William Howie on a misdemeanor charge was sworn to by James Scott and the undertakers will join Scott in an effort to successfully prosecute the defendant.

The complaining witness avers that December 2 last he was driving a carriage which was part of a funeral cortege on Main and Adams street, when Howie in an automobile attempted to drive through the line, but missed his calculations, and struck Scott's carriage. Serious inconvenience and delay were caused the mourners as the carriage was put out of business.

The undertakers say many more prosecutions will result if a conviction in the Howie case is secured.

SWEDE HELD IN JAIL.

Man Accused of Bunco ing Countrymen Now Behind Bars—Hard to Convict Him.

Frank Bergstrom is the name of a Swede in the City Jail who is accused of working smooth games on credulous countrymen and swindling them out of money for the payment of duty on mythical boxes of presents from friends in the old country.

The police have for some time been looking for the Swedish swindler and in the person of Bergstrom they think they have the right man. But to successfully prosecute the man a hard problem must be solved. In many instances the Swedish dupe preferred money to the swindler after the benighted one had been told that relatives in far-away Sweden had sent a box of fine raiment as a present and the box was then on board ship at San Pedro. Of course the money was intended for the payment of duty, but there was no duty and no box of goods.

Bergstrom is held on suspicion, while the prosecuting attorney is trying to figure out a way by which he can be clinched. As yet no warrant has been issued.

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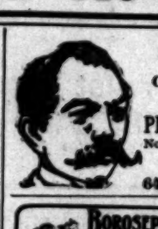

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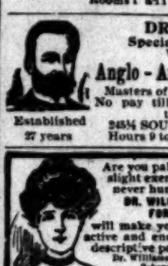

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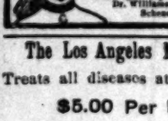

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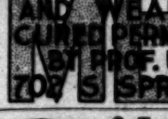

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Public Advertising.

Notice of Sale of Street Railway Franchise.

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, State of California, Los Angeles, Cal., January 20th, 1905.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the City Council of the City of Los Angeles for a certain franchise granting the right to construct and for the period of 21 years to operate and maintain an electric street railroad upon certain public streets of said city, hereinafter described, together with certain appurtenant and incident rights hereinafter mentioned.

And that it is proposed by said City Council to offer for sale and grant to the highest bidder said franchise upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned.

That said franchise is described as follows, to wit:

A franchise to construct and for the period of 21 years to operate and maintain a double track electric street railroad over the route and in and upon the streets or portions of streets in the said city, described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Boyle avenue and Stephenson avenue and running thence southerly along Boyle avenue to Seventh street; thence west along Seventh street to Spring street.

That the terms and conditions upon which said franchise will be offered for sale and granted, are the following:

That the street railroad constructed and operated under said franchise shall be used only for the transportation of passengers and United States mail.

That in all cases where said franchise is granted over streets now occupied by other lines of railway, the grantee thereof and his or its successors and assigns shall have the right to operate over any and all the tracks of such other lines subject to the provisions and limitations of the statutes of the State of California applicable thereto; and in case the gauge of the tracks of said other lines of street railways shall not conform to the gauge of the tracks of said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns shall be permitted to lay a third rail over the distance traversed by said tracks jointly.

That the tracks to be laid under said franchise shall not exceed four feet and eight and one-half inches in width between the rails of the tracks, and for two (2) feet on each side thereof, with the same material used by the city and under the same specifications and in the same manner as upon the streets over which said road runs respectively, and shall keep the same constantly so paved or macadamized and in repair, flush with the street, and provided with suitable crossings, and shall make the roadbed conform at all times to the established grade of the street, provided, however, that where any of the above-named streets have been graded or otherwise improved prior to the granting of said franchise, said roadbed and rails shall conform to and be flush with the surface of said graded or otherwise improved street or streets, whether such surface be above or below the official grade of such street or streets; and on all other street or streets said roadbed and rails shall conform to such official grade as aforesaid. And, provided, further, that upon any regrading or other improving of said street or streets, said roadbed and rails shall, by said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, be placed upon and made to conform to said official grade. All repairs and grades to be made under the instructions and to the satisfaction of the Street Superintendent of said city. In case the said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, fails to comply with the instructions given by said official for ten (10) days after service thereof upon the said grantee, or his or its successor or assigns, or upon the manager or agent of said grantee or of the successors or assigns, in the City of Los Angeles, he, the said official, shall enter upon the road of said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, and do the work, or order it by the City Council of the City of Los Angeles, said officer to keep an itemized account of the cost of said work, which the said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, by the acceptance of said franchise, agrees to pay immediately upon its being presented to said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, or to such manager or agent stationed in Los Angeles.

Provided further, that said grantee and his or its successors or assigns, shall construct all necessary drains and culverts for the proper passage of water under the tracks of said railroad wherever and whenever necessary, and that all such flumes and culverts, and all curves, switch turnouts and switches shall be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the City Engineer.

Provided further, that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall have the right, subject to such regulations as are now or may hereafter be in force, to excavate and remove portions of the streets necessary to properly construct said road, and the right to erect needful apparatus, boilers, engines and other appliances, to properly equip and run said road.

Provided further, that the City of Los Angeles in granting said franchise expressly reserves the right to grant similar, reasonable or sewer any of the said streets, or to lay gas, water or other pipes therein, said work to be done so as to injure said road as little as possible.

Provided further, that cars shall be run each way, over the whole length of the road constructed under said franchise, at intervals of not more than ten minutes, between the hours of six o'clock in the morning and eleven o'clock at night, of each day, during the term of said franchise, unless prevented by the elements, riots, strikes, or unavoidable causes; provided, further, that cars shall be operated over said road with sufficient frequency to carry and provide with seats all passengers applying for transportation thereon, excepting in times of extraordinary and unforeseen amounts of travel, and that said cars shall be, at all times, and in all respects, as efficiently constructed and conveniently equipped as the cars in use upon the best electric street railroads in the City of Los Angeles.

Provided further, that the cars upon said road shall not be allowed to stand on any street or any street intersection in such a manner as to obstruct the use of the said street by vehicles or pedestrians.

That the grantee of said franchise and his or its successors and assigns shall and will at all times upon and after the completion of said road, during the operation of the same and without extra charge, issue to and receive from passengers going in one direction, transfers good for continuous passage over and upon any and every other line and lines of any other road or roads within the said city which said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, does now or may hereafter own, control, operate, or have a controlling interest in; and provided, as a further condition, that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall, at all times as aforesaid, issue, or cause to be issued to said passengers without extra charge, a similar transfer from any and every other line or lines which said grantee or his or its successors or assigns does now or may hereafter own, control, operate or have a controlling interest in, as aforesaid, to, over and upon the road operated and maintained under said franchise.

That the rate of fare for any distance over said road or its branches one way, shall not exceed five cents for one passenger.

That persons under the age of eighteen years, who attend the public school of said city, shall be required to pay but half fare, provided that said pupils shall purchase their tickets in quantities of at least one dollar's worth at a time; such tickets to be available only between the hours of eight a.m. and six p.m., in actual passage to and from school; and that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall sell such tickets whenever requested so to do by a pupil who shall present a certificate from a teacher, approved by the superintendent of Schools of the city, that he or she is a pupil of said schools.

And provided further, that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns, shall, at all times, carry all regular and special policemen, police officers, firemen and letter carriers, while on duty, the Mayor and members of the City Council, and of the Boards of Police Commissioners, Fire Commissioners, Water Commissioners, Park Commissioners, and Civil Service Commissioners, the members of the Board of Health; the members of the Board of Education, City Superintendent of Schools, and the Directors of the Public Library, free over said road and over any other road or roads within said city, which said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns does now, or may hereafter own, control, or operate, subject, at all times, to such reasonable regulations as said grantee, and his or its successors or assigns may prescribe.

Provided further, that said grantee, and his or its successors and assigns shall pay to the City Tax and License Collector of the city of Los Angeles, the license upon each car that is now, or may be hereafter, fixed by the ordinances of said city.

That the said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall during the life of said franchise pay to the City of Los Angeles, in lawful money of the United States, two per cent. of the gross annual receipts of such grantee, and his or its successors and assigns, arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise. No percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of said franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually and said franchise is to be forfeited by failure to make the payments provided for. Provided, that if the road for which said franchise is granted shall be an extension of an existing system of street railroad, then the gross receipts shall be estimated to be one-half of the proportion of the total gross receipts of said system which the mileage of such extension bears to the total mileage of the whole system, and said estimate shall be conclusive as to the amount of the gross receipts of said extension.

And it shall be the duty of the grantee of said franchise and of his or its successors and assigns to file with the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, at the expiration of six years from the date of the granting of said franchise and at the expiration of each and every year thereafter, a statement, verified by the oath of said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, or by the oath of the manager or presiding officer of said grantee, or his or its successors and assigns, showing the total gross receipts and gross earnings collected or received by said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, during the preceding twelve months, from all traffic over any part of the line for the construction and operation of which said franchise is granted, or over any part of the system of street railroad of which it may be an extension, and from all other sources, and within ten days after the time for filing aforesaid statement it shall be the duty of said grantee and his or its successors and assigns to pay to the City Treasurer of the City of Los Angeles, the aggregate sum of the said percentage upon the amount of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise, determined and computed in the manner hereinbefore provided.

And any neglect, omission or refusal by said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, to file said verified statement, or to pay the said percentage of the said gross annual receipts at the time or in the manner hereinbefore provided shall ipso facto work a forfeiture of said franchise and of all rights thereunder, to the City of Los Angeles.

That the work of constructing said road shall be commenced in good faith within not more than four months from the date of the granting of said franchise, and shall be continuously prosecuted diligently, in good faith and without unnecessary or avoidable intermission or delay; that said work of construction shall be completed within not more than three years thereafter; that said work of construction shall be commenced and continuously prosecuted, so that at least one-third of the work of construction of said road shall be completed within one year from the time of commencement; and that if said work be not so commenced, prosecuted or completed within the times, or in the manner specified, said franchise shall be forfeited.

That said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, shall not sell, transfer or assign said franchise or any of the rights or privileges granted thereby, except by a duly executed instrument in writing, filed in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles; and provided further, that nothing in said franchise contained shall be construed to grant to said grantee or his or its successors or assigns any right to sell, transfer or assign said franchise or any of the rights or privileges thereby granted, except in the manner aforesaid.

That any neglect, failure or refusal to comply with any of the conditions of said franchise, shall thereupon immediately ipso facto effect a forfeiture thereof, and the said city, by its City Council, may thereupon declare said franchise forfeited, and may exclude said grantee or his or its successors and assigns, from further use of the streets of said city under said franchise, and said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall thereupon and immediately surrender all rights in and to the same, and said franchise shall be deemed and shall remain null, void and of no effect.

Notice is also hereby given, that sealed bids, in writing, will be received for said franchise, up to eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the 6th day of March, 1905, at which time bids received will be opened at that time; that all bids must be for the payment of a stated sum in gold coin of the United States; and that the franchise will be struck off, sold, and awarded to the person, firm, or corporation, who shall make the highest cash bid therefor; provided, only, that at the time of opening said bids, any responsible person, firm, or corporation, present or represented, may bid for said franchise a sum not less than ten per cent. above the highest sealed bid therefor, and that said bid so made may be raised not less than ten per cent. by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold, and awarded by said City Council to the highest bidder therefor in gold coin of the United States. Each sealed bid must be accompanied with cash or a certified and satisfactory bond to the City Treasurer of the City of Los Angeles, for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid will be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith, and the successful bidder must deposit at least ten per cent. of the amount of his bid with the City Clerk before said franchise will be struck off to him, and if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, his bid will not be received, and will be considered as void, and said franchise will then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit as above mentioned. Said procedure will be had until said franchise is struck off, sold and awarded to a bidder who shall make the necessary deposit of, at least, ten per cent. of the amount of his bid, as herein provided. Said successful bidder shall comply with the City Clerk, within twenty-four hours after the acceptance of his bid, the remaining ninety per cent. of the amount thereof, and in case he or it fails to do so, the said deposit theretofore made will be forfeited, and the award of said franchise will be void, and said franchise will then and there, by said City Council, be struck off, sold and awarded to the next bidder therefor, in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder fails to comply with the City Clerk the remaining ninety per cent. of his bid within twenty-four hours after its acceptance, the award to him of said franchise shall be void, and the deposit theretofore made by him will be forfeited, and no further proceedings for the sale of said franchise will be had until the same shall be readvertised for sale.

Notice is also hereby given that the successful bidder for said franchise must, within five days after said franchise is awarded to him, or it, file with the City Council, a bond running to said city in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, with, at least, two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said City Council, conditioned that said bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill, and perform each and every term and condition of said franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of said bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. If said bond be not so filed, the award of said franchise will be set aside, and any money paid therefor will be forfeited.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
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Notice—Civil Service Examinations.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 28, 1905.

In accordance with Section 1, Rule IV, Civil Service Rules and Regulations of the City of Los Angeles, notice is hereby given that a competitive examination will be held on Saturday, the 11th day of February, 1905, beginning at 9 a.m. o'clock, at Grand avenue school, in the City of Los Angeles, Cal., for the purpose of examining applicants for admission to the eligible list in classifications and divisions as designated below;

Div. A, Class 2, Chief Deputy, Assessor.
Div. A, Class 3, Deputy Assessor.
Div. A, Class 25, Clerk, Treasurer.
Div. A, Class 26, Assistant Custodian, City Hall.
Div. I, Class 21, Guard, Treasurer.
Div. I, Class 22, Manager Labor Bureau and Free Reading Room.

Said competitive examination will include tests of proficiency in Reading, Writing, Spelling, Arithmetic, knowledge of the duties of the several positions named; general and specific experience tending to fit the applicant for such position; physical health; muscular strength; soundness and acuteness of faculties; personal habits; moral character and such qualifications as will fairly attest the capacity of persons examined to discharge the duties of positions which they seek. Applicants must appear in person at the office of the Civil Service Commission not less than 8 days before the date fixed for the examination, and file, under oath, an application in form prescribed by the Commission, blanks for which will be furnished on request.

By order of the Board of Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK J. THOMAS,
Chairman
W. A. SPALDING, Secretary. 1-29, 2-11 14t

Notice—Civil Service Examinations.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 21, 1905.

In accordance with Section 1, Rule IV, Civil Service Rules and Regulations of the City of Los Angeles notice is hereby given that a competitive examination will be held on Saturday, the 4th day of February, 1905, beginning at 9 o'clock a.m., at Turnverein Gymnasium, in the City of Los Angeles, Cal., for the purpose of examining applicants for admission to the eligible list in Classifications and Divisions as designated below:

Div. C, Class 2, Secretary, Fire Dept.
Div. C, Class 3(b.), Engineers, Fire Dept.
Div. C, Class 3(c.), Drivers, Fire Dept.
Div. C, Class 4, Hosemen, Fire Dept.

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By order of the Board of Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK J. THOMAS,
President.
W. A. SPALDING, Secretary. 1-22-31, 2-4 14t

Notice to Grading Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, February 6th, 1905, for the regrading of Sunset Boulevard at its intersection with Lake Shore avenue, according to plans, profiles and specifications on file in the office of the City Engineer, and from whom information may be obtained as to the amount and character of the work.

A certified check, payable to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, in 10 per cent. of the Amount bid must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the city, in conformity with his bid.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
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Public Advertising.

ORDINANCE NO. 10,502.
[New Series.]

An Ordinance authorizing property owners to improve a portion of Eighth street, under private contract.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That permission is hereby given the property owners on

EIGHTH STREET

from a point 700 feet west of the west line of Hoover street, to the east line of Vermont avenue, to improve said street under private contract in the following manner, to wit:

To grade and gravel Eighth street in the City of Los Angeles, from a point 700 feet west of the west line of Hoover street to the east line of Vermont avenue, including all intersections of streets (except such portions as have already been graded and graveled and accepted); said grading and gravelling to be done in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city for grading and graveling streets in the City of Los Angeles with the natural soil of the street, said specifications being No. 17 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 9672 (New Series.)

To build and construct a cement curb along each line of the roadway of said Eighth street, from a point 700 feet west of the west line of Hoover street to the east line of Vermont avenue, excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite curb has already been constructed on the proper line and grade.) in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Los Angeles for constructing cement curbs, said specifications being No. 1 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8272 (New Series.)

To build and construct a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width along the north side of Eighth street, from the east line of Vermont avenue to a point 264 feet east thereof, and along the south side from the east line of Vermont avenue to a point 264 feet east thereof (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which a cement or asphalt sidewalk five (5) feet in width has already been constructed on the proper line and grade) said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 2 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8272 (New Series.)

Provided all of said work is done under the supervision of the Street Superintendent of said city, and completed to his satisfaction and acceptance on or before the fifteenth day of April, 1905.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and cause it to be published once in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of January 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
Approved this 21st day of January, 1905.
OWEN McALEER,
Mayor.
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ORDINANCE NO. 10,501.
[New Series.]

An Ordinance authorizing property owners to improve a portion of Forty-ninth street, under private contract.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That permission is hereby given the property owners on

FORTY-NINTH STREET

from the west curb line of South Park avenue, to the east curb line of San Pedro street, to improve said street under private contract, in the following manner, to wit:

To grade and gravel Forty-ninth street in the City of Los Angeles, from the west curb line of South Park avenue to the east line of San Pedro street, including all intersections of streets, (except such portions as have already been graded and graveled and accepted;) said grading and graveling to be done in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city for grading and graveling streets in the City of Los Angeles with the natural soil of the street, said specifications being No. 17 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 9672 (New Series.)

To build and construct a cement curb along each line of the roadway of said Forty-ninth street, from the west curb line of South Park avenue to the east curb line of San Pedro street (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite curb has already been constructed on the proper line and grade.) in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Los Angeles for constructing cement curbs, said specifications being No. 1 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8272 (New Series.)

To build and construct a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width along the north side of Eighth street, from the east line of Vermont avenue to a point 264 feet east thereof, and along the south side from the east line of Vermont avenue to a point 264 feet east thereof (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which a cement or asphalt sidewalk five (5) feet in width has already been constructed on the proper line and grade) said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 2 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8272 (New Series.)

Provided all of said work is done under the supervision of the Street Superintendent of said city, and completed to his satisfaction and acceptance on or before the fifteenth day of April, 1905.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and cause it to be published once in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of January 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
Approved this 21st day of January, 1905.
OWEN McALEER,
Mayor.
2-2 11

ORDINANCE NO. 10,503.
[New Series]

An Ordinance of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles, establishing the grade to Welcome street, from Council street to Court street.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the grade of

WELCOME STREET,

from Council street to Court street, is hereby established as follows:

At the intersection with Council street the grade shall be 415.00 at the northeast and northwest corners, as now established on Council street.

At a point on the east side 100 feet south of the southeast corner of Court street the grade shall be 291.00.

At the intersection with Court street the grade shall be 278.00 at the southeast corner and 283.00 at the southwest corner.

And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 255 feet below City datum plane.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance, and shall cause the same to be published once in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of January 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
Approved this 21st day of January, 1905.
OWEN McALEER,
Mayor.
2-2 11

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, February 6th, 1905, for filling the approaches to the First street and Seventh street bridges, according to plans, profiles and specifications on file with the City Engineer, from whom information as to the amount and character of the work to be performed, and bidding blanks may be obtained.

A certified check, payable to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, in ten per cent. of the amount of bid must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the city in conformity with his proposal.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
1-30, 2-4 6t

Notice to Plumbers.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, February 6th, 1905, for the furnishing and placing in a good workmanlike and sanitary manner, six Douglas Urinals, and one closet in the City Hall. The closet to be in the basement toilet room; three urinals on the first floor in the men's toilet, and three urinals on the second floor in the men's toilet.

A certified check, payable to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, for ten per cent. of amount of bid, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the city, in conformity with his bid.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.
1-30, 2-4 6t

Public Advertising.

ORDINANCE NO. 10,483.
[New Series]

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of Leeward avenue from Hoover street to a point 1350 feet west of the west line of Hoover street.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of

LEEWARD AVENUE

from Hoover street to a point 1350 feet west of the west line of Hoover street, as follows:

At the intersection with Hoover street the grade shall be 251.00 at the northwest corner and 251.50 at the southwest corner.

At a point on the north side 350 feet west of the west line of Hoover street, and at a point on the south

DAILY REPORT OF ORANGE MARKETS.

FOLLOWING are the average prices per box of the different brands of oranges named, sold at auction yesterday in the cities reporting:

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nineteen cars were sold at auction today. The market is steady. Prices are fractionally higher. The weather is favorable.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Golden Flower, Xf., Redlands Golden Orange Association	$1.70
Pine Cone, Xf., Highland Orange Growers' Association	1.85
Uncle Sam, Xf., Riverside Fruit Exchange	2.00
Swan, Fy., San Bernardino County Fruit Exchange	1.90
Goddess of Fruits, Xf., San Antonio Fruit Exchange	1.80
Parrot, Xc., San Antonia Fruit Exchange	1.70
Blue Seal, Fy., Azusa-Covina, Glendora Fruit Exchange	1.70
Ibk, Xf., Duarte-Monrovia Fruit Exchange	1.75
V.V., Ch., Covina Fruit Exchange	1.50
V., St., Covina Fruit Exchange	1.55
Independent, Fy., Highland District	2.00
Independent, Fy., Highland District	2.00
Mt. Harrison, Xf., F. L. Sewell	1.90
Alhambra, Xc., Semi-Tropic Fruit Exchange	1.60
Elk, Ch., Riverside Fruit Company	2.05
La Loma, Fy., F. P. Corson, Highgrove	1.90
Santa Anita, E. J. Baldwin	1.75
Florencia, Fy., J. M. Riley, Azusa	1.70
Mt. King	1.90
Atlas, Xc., Redlands Eclipse Association	1.65
Covina, Xc., Houser Bros.	1.65
Rose, Xf., Redlands Orange Growers' Association	2.10
Leslie Bros.	1.60
Golden Harvest, T. I., Xf., Rubidoux Fruit Co.,	2.30
Mountain Chief, Ch., Rubidoux Fruit Company	1.80

PHILADELPHIA MARKET

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The market is advancing, and is 10 cents higher than Monday. Good fruit is wanted. The weather is favorable. Ten cars were sold at auction today.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Geranium, Xc., Cal. Citrus Union, Highland	$2.00
Heap Good, Fy., Pattee & Lett Fruit Co.	2.00
Blossom, Ch., Cal. Citrus Union, Redlands	1.80
Quail, Xc., Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	1.65
Blue Globe, Xf., Riverside Fruit Exchange	2.10
Stag, Fy., Azusa-Covina-Glendora Fruit Exchange	2.10
Stag, Fy., Azusa-Covina-Glendora Fruit Exchange	2.15
Pointer, Ch., Azusa-Covina-Glendora Fruit Exchange	2.05
Beauty, Ch., Covina Fruit Exchange	1.70
Palm Tree, Ch., Arlington Heights Fruit Company	1.90
Independent, Fy., Highland District	2.15

BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eighteen cars sold at auction today. The weather is fine and pleasant. The market continues very much depressed.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Stork, Xc., San Antonio Fruit Exchange	$1.35
Quail, Xc., Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	1.55
Golden Rule, Xc., Riverside Fruit Exchange	1.60
Uncle Sam, Xf., Riverside Fruit Exchange	1.75
Arrowhead, Xc., Highland Orange Growers' Association	1.80
Swan, Fy., San Bernardino County Fruit Exchange	1.85
Swan, Fy., San Bernardino County Fruit Exchange	1.85
Swan, Fy., San Bernardino County Fruit Exchange	1.85
Pine Cone, Xf., Highland Orange Growers' Association	1.90
La Mesa, Xf., Riverside Fruit Exchange	1.90
Warrior, Xc., Stewart Fruit Co.	1.50
Rescue, Ch., Stewart Fruit Co.	1.75
Carnation, Xc., Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	1.65
Our Monogram, Fy., Cal. Citrus Union, Redlands	1.75
Gypsy Queen, Xf., Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	1.80
Bridgegrove, Ch., J. L. Means, Pomona	1.70
Çanna, Fy., West Highland Citrus Association	1.70
Bridgegrove, Fy., J. L. Means, Pomona	1.80
Atlas, Xc., Redlands Eclipse Association	1.80
Atlas, Xc., Redlands Eclipse Association	1.85
Niagara, Xf., Stewart Fruit Co.	2.00
Crocus, Xf., West Highland Citrus Association	2.60
Redlands Beauties, Xf., Redlands Eclipse Association	2.05

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 2, 1905.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,521,289.62. For the corresponding day of 1904, $1,269,782.56; for the same day of 1903, $1,042,335.17.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .37	
Central	.44	.49
Continental	.24	.25
Columbia	.20	.22
Fullerton Consolidated	.15	.16
Fullerton Oil	.20	.22
Globe	.06½	.11
Hercules Oil Ref. Co.	....	....
Home (Whittier)	.70	....
Mexican Petroleum	1.25	1.40
Olinda Land Co.	.65	.70
Reed Crude	2.15	2.25
Rex	....	....
Thums	....	....
Whittier Con. Oil	.61	.61½
Westlake	.30½	....
Union	70.50	72.50
Union Petroleum	119.00	125.00
Western Union	....	96.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked
American G. & C.	....	....
Belcher Mida C.	....	.10
Bullion West C.	.03½	.04
Black Hills C.	....	....
Butte Lode	15.00	21.00
Bulla	60.00	....
Consolidated Mines Co.	....	....
Exposed Treasure	....	....
Golden Argus	16.00	....
Golden Cycle Consolidated	24.75	25.25
Jessie Bell	....	.40
Kitchell Mining	....	....
Nevada Chief	....	.08
New Era	....	.15
Nevada-Keystone	....	.20
Peninsula M. & S. Co.	.01	.03
Quartette	....	.13
Santa Ana M. Co.	....	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	.35	....
Tecopah-California	....	....
Verde King	....	.14

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$107.00	....
Broadway Bank & Trust	120.00	125.00
Central	75.00	80.00
Citizens' National	167.00	....
Commercial National	....	....
Dollar Savings Bank	....	....
Equitable Savings Bank	120.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	225.00	....
First National	....	....
German-American	395.00	400.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	57..	....
Los Angeles National	192.00	196.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	350.00	356.00
Merchants' National	200.00	206.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	95.00	100.00
National Bank of Cal.	180.00	200.00
Pacific Southwest Bank	100.00	....
So. Cal. Savings	250.00	....
Southwestern National	109.00	115.00
State Bank & Trust	200.00	204.00
Union Trust & Savings	120.00	....
West Side Bank	....	....

*Extra dividends 2 December, 1903, and 2 December, 1904.
*50 per cent. paid up.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	98	99
Cal. Pacific Railway	....	100
Cal. Development	....	....
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	750
Cal. Portland C. Co.	....	....
Citizens' City Water Co.	....	100
Edison Electric Co. Con.	97	100
Edison Elec. Co. (old issue)	100	102
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.	100	104
L. A. Home Telephone	97	101½
L. A. Traction Co.	110	112
L. A. Electric Co.	....	....
L. A. & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	103
Mission T. & Ret. Co.	....	97
Pomona & O. L. & P. Co.	....	100
Pomona Con. Co.	....	98
Riverside L. & P. Co.	....	102
San Antonio Wr. Co.	97	102
So. Pasadena Railway	....	98
Ontario, Dem. W.	....	100
Pacific Light & P. Co.	98	100
Pacific Electric Railway Co.	104½	....
Phoenix Light & P. Co.	....	....
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	102
Redondo Water Co.	94	103
Temescal Water Co.	....	103
United Elec., G. & P. Co.	98	101
Union Pacific	98	103
Visalia Water Co.	....	105

*Prices include accrued interest.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Conservative Life Ins. Co.	....	....
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	....
California Hospital	....	....
Edison Electric Co. pfd.	70.00	71.00
Edison Electric Co. com.	....	40.00
Emergency Hospital	45.00	....
Home Telephone	46.00	....
Home Trust	....	....
Los Angeles Brewery	....	....
L. A. Jockey Club	108.00	111.00
Pacific Wireless Tel. Co.	....	2.00
Realty Water Co.	....	....
Title G. & Trust pfd.	112.50	....
Title L. & Trust Co. pfd.	102.00	....

EXCHANGE NOTES. The stock market was again quiet and featureless yesterday, with bidding within a narrow range of securities. Associated Oil paid its ex-dividend yesterday, and the books of Home Telephone were closed at 5 o'clock, and the effects were visible in the bid prices. Home Telephone went off a point, and Home Trust nearly two points. Associated Oil was also quiet and weaker.

The sales of local securities reported yesterday on the Stock and Grain Exchange were as follows: Thirty stocks of Home Telephone, twenty at $50, and ten at $50.50, ten stocks of Union Oil at $72, and ten of Jockey Club at $108 These are all high prices, those for Home Telephone notably so.

GOLD EXPORTS. Exports of gold coin on a large scale began January 25, when a total of $2,750,000 in that form was withdrawn from the subtreasury, New York. Despite the withdrawal, foreign exchanges rates were reported steady, and the local call money market was unaffected.

GREENE CONSOLIDATED. The directors of the Greene Consolidated have declared a dividend of 4 per cent, amounting to $345,600 on the capitalization of $8,600,000. The dividend is payable on February 20. The last dividend was paid on December 20, 1904, at the same rate. At the present rate the company is paying 24 per cent. annually, though the dividends are declared without specifying the period covered by the disbursement.

BIG BANK TOTALS. There are at present more national banks in the country with gross deposits of $5,000,000 or over than ever before in the history of banking. Based on the last Comptroller's call, January 11, there are 144 notional banks in the United States, each of which can show gross deposits of more than $5,000,000 each. New York City leads the list with 31, with Boston second, with 12 and Philadelphia a close third, with 11. Chicago has 9, Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati and St. Louis 6 each, Cleveland and Baltimore 5 each, Kansas City, Indianapolis and New Orleans 4 each, Denver, San Francisco, Minneapolis, Newark, Detroit and St. Paul 3 each, Milwaukee, Buffalo, Albany, Omaha, Los Angeles and Brooklyn 2 each; and Birmingham, Duluth, Dallas, Rochester, Atlanta, Scranton, Portland (Or.,) Jersey City, Washington and Pueblo 1 each.

The National City Bank of New York leads all the banks in the matter of gross deposits. Its deposits exceed $200,000,000. The National Bank of Commerce, New York, is a close second, with $192,660,000. The First National, New York, comes next, and then follows the First National of Chicago.

Four years ago there were but 115 banks in the United States to show gross deposits of more than $5,000,000 each. At that time there were a number of banks in the $5,000,000 class that have since been merged with other institutions.—[Wall Street Journal.

COMMERCIAL.

CITRUS MOVEMENT. The shipments of citrus fruits Tuesday were 145 carloads of oranges and 10 carloads of lemons; grand total of shipments, 7031, of which 447 were lemons.

RECEIVED AT NEW YORK. Following is a statement of the arrivals of Pacific Coast products at the port of New York, January 25:

	Water.	Rail.
Raisins, boxes	....	750
Dried prunes, packages	2,666	1,351
Dried fruit, packages	825	....
Oranges, boxes	....	4,676

PRUNE SITUATION. The prune situation is strong, but San Francisco advices say that the European demand has subsided and that there are few inquiries from the home trade. All reports agree that stocks on the Coast are relatively small. As the result of careful investigation there are fifteen to eighteen million pounds in the Santa Clara Valley and possibly four million pounds elsewhere in the State, making altogether about 600 or 700 carloads of fifteen tons each, still on the Coast, or about half of the quantity held here at the corresponding time last year.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

The produce market yesterday was active and strong, with a notable increase of interest in most of the lines. Few changes in prices were reported, the staples are holding their own, and although dealers are not looking for advances in the immediate future, the market yesterday leaned to stronger prices.

Butter went off 7½ cents yesterday and is now quoted at 60. This unlooked-for return at this time to the former price was the surprise of the day, and two sets of opinions were offered in explanation. One opinion is that the drop is all on account of Butter King Smith, who has been bearing the market and simply forced the other dealers down to his figures. The other opinion, which comes from official sources, is that the demand was slow at the prices and a reduction considered necessary in order to enliven the market. The drop of 7½ cents, however, is significant. While the receipts of butter have been uniformly heavy for some time, the demand has also been unusual. A factor in the situation is the San Francisco market, which has weakened and diverted supplies in this direction where the market was known to be extremely strong. But from all reports the demand here was more than equal to the supply, which left the market in a well cleaned up condition at the end of the day. At all events, at a meeting of the Butter Board of Trade yesterday afternoon it was decided to lower the price to 60 cents, and all other prices will now go down in proportion.

Sweet potatoes continue firm at $1.50 @2 for yellows, and $1.50@$1.75 for whites.

Selected onions are firm at $2.25@ $2.50 for fancy stock and as no supplies have come in for nearly a month, and the market is cleaning up on stocks in hand, prices are likely to go higher.

The potato market is firm and strong, but no changes in prices are looked for in the near future.

Apples continue at the prices already quoted, but dealers reported trading quiet.

Vegetables were rather scarce yesterday and in snappy demand, with most of the prices unchanged. Peas were scarce and quoted in a jobbing way at 4@6 cents; and beans 6@7 cents. A car of fancy celery arrived yesterday and was selling in a jobbing way at 35@45 cents.

Two cars of bananas reached the market, but prices ranged from 2½@ 4½, though most of the stocks are of unusually good quality.

Receipts of strawberries were liberal, Glendales selling in a jobbing way at 12@15 cents, and Tropicos 16@18 cents.

Oranges are in fairly good demand, but prices yesterday were somewhat irregular. Nothing, however, was selling higher than $1.75.

The demand for fresh candied eggs continues strong, but the Quotation Committee again left the price at 27 cents.

The fish market was well supplied with all kinds of fish, big and little. Lobsters were also in plenty, but crabs scarce.

Light receipts only reached the game market, and what came in moved off quickly.

Poultry continues active and strong, but no advance on prices already quoted was reported.

The Produce Exchange at its session yesterday reported receipts for January 31 as follows: Eggs, local, 204 cases; eastern, none; butter, 13,820 pounds; cheese, 5765 pounds; potatoes, Irish, 626 sacks; sweet potatoes, 25 sacks; beans, 250 sacks; onions, none.

Following are the jobbing prices in the Los Angeles market:

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, ranch, 27 doz.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor 17; Cal. Y. A., 15, hand, 15; Dom. Swiss, 15; Imp., 17½, Cal. hand, 16, 20½; northern, 14@15; eastern, dairies, 16; Limburger, 15; Longhorns, 16; Swiss, domestic, 15; imported, 27; Red Hand, 14½@15.

BUTTER—Local Butter Board creamery, 60; valley, 60; fancy Coast creamery, 55; fancy dairy, 45; cooking, 17; California, fancy, 25; California, fancy, 25; choice, 22.

BEANS—Pink, 1.90; No. 1, 2.50@2.75; Lady Washington, 2.35@2.50; small white, No. 1, 2.50@3.00; black eyes, 2.50@2.75; Limas, No. 1, 4.75; Garbanzos, 3.50; German lentils, 4.00; Mexican lentils, 7½.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 7@9; apricots, 10½; choice peaches, 10½; fancy crop Persian dates, 4½@5 lb.; Fards, 60-lb. box, 3½@4; 10-lb. boxes, 4½@5; prunes, white, box, 12@6; black, 1.40@1.50; Smyrna, 15@17 lb.; prunes, 50-60s, 5½; 30-40s, 6½@7; choice puppers, 7@7.50 spring.

RAISINS—Seeded sultanas, 4½@5½; 2-crown, loose, 3; 3-crown, loose, 3½; layer, 1.60@2.00.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shells, 15@17; No. 1, Drake shellbarks, 12@12½; hard-shelled filberts, 12@14; peanuts, 7.25, 1-sack lots, 7.00; in 5-sack lots; roasted, 9.00; 1-sack lots, 8.25; in 5-sack lots; California, roasted, 9½; California, raw, 6@7; pecans, 12@14; horse chestnuts, 12@14; Italian chestnuts, 12@15; walnuts, Cal., 12@12½; fancy, 14@15; choice, No. 1, 10@12; No. 2, 8@10.

FRESH MEATS—Mutton, 7½@8; veal, 7½@10; beef, 6½; pork, 8.

FRESH FRUITS—Grapes, cold storage, 1.50 per box; Tokay, 2.00; Malaga, 1.75; Emperors, 1.25; Bellefleur apples, 1.50; California Smith Cider, 1.25@1.50; Colorado Jonathan, 2.00; Ben Caps, four-tier, 1.75@2.00; Ben Davis, California, 1.25@1.50; Ben Davis, Colorado, 1.75; Washington Baldwins, 1.75@2.00; Delaware Reds, 1.75@1.85; Washington Ganos, 1.85; Newtown pippins, 1.85; persimmons, 50@ 75c; Arkansas, four-tier, 1.25; five-tier, 1.75; Kentucky Red Winters, 1.35@1.50; Arkansas Winesaps, 2.00; Lauvers, 1.50; New York Baldwin, 4.50 bbl.; Roman Beauty, 2.00; Langford seedlings, 1.50; Gano, 1.75; White Pearmains, 1.50@2.00; Black Twigs, 2.00; Winesaps, 1.75; four-tier Julian, 1.25@1.75; Watsonville, 1.35@1.50; Rhode Island Greenings, 4.00@4.75; Barretts, 1.25@1.50; Missouri pippins, California, 1.50; Missouri pippins, Colorado, 2.00; Golden pippins, cold storage, 1.50@1.60; mixed, 90@1.25; peaches, cold storage, 7½ lb.; New York apples, 4.00@4.75; fancy Oregons, 4.00@4.25; Colorado Stars, 2.00; N. Y. pippins, 4.00; watermelons, 50@1.00 each; cocoanuts, 5.50@6.00 bbl.; Winter Nellis pears, 1.75.

CITRUS FRUITS—Standard lemons, 1.00@1.50 box; choice to fancy, 1.50@2.25; extra fancy, 1.75@2.00; Corona, fancy, 1.50@1.75; bananas, 2c@2½ lb.; Reds, 3; Padre grapefruit, seedless, extra fancy, 2.50; choice, 1.50; grapefruit, northern, 3.00; Mexican, 2.00@2.50; oranges, extra fancy, Navels, 1.75; fancy, 1.50@2.00; choice, 1.25@1.75; Tangerines, 1.25; lemon guavas, 25 lb., 2; Mandarins, 1.00; Cocoanuts, 1.25; oranges, Arlington Heights, extra fancy, 1.75; fancy, 1.50; choice, 1.25; standard, 1.00; culls, 60; Sunny Mountain, 50c, small boxes; large, 2.25@2.75.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 12; Hollywood, 10@; Tropicos, 16@18; Gardenas, 12@15; cranberries, 90 bbl.; raspberries, 25.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Beeswax, per lb., 25@28; honey, extracted, water white, 5; light amber, 7; comb, water white, 15; white, 13@15; light, amber, 12.

POTATOES—Hemets, 2.00; Early Rose, northern, 2.00@2.50; Nevada Burbanks, 1.25; California, Watsonville, 1.40@1.50; fancy Salinas, 1.40@1.70; choice, 1.40@1.50; fancy Pearls, 1.20@1.50; Highland, fancy, 1.25@1.35; choice, 1.10@1.25; Woodward Island, 1.50; sweets, 1.50; yellow sweets, 1.50@2.00 cwt.; reds, 1.50; whites, 1.50@1.75.

ONIONS—Northern Danvers, 2.50; Yellow Danvers, 2.50; Australian Browns, 2.00; Nevadas, fancy, 2.50@2.60; Michigan, 2.25.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, cwt., 85; carrots, 75@85 cwt.; fancy tomatoes, 75@1.50; fancy squash, 1½ lb.; Hubbard, 1.50; cwt.; parsnips, 65 cwt.; green string beans, 6@7 lb.; wax, 4@6; turnips, 70@85 cwt.; egg plant, 6@7; cucumbers, 1.50@2.00 box; cabbage, 50@75; artichokes, 1.00@1.25 doz.; cauliflower, 1.00; peas, 4@6 lb.; radishes, 30 doz.; celery, Santa Ana, 40@50 doz.; fancy, 40@60; mushrooms, 60 lb.; Limas, 4@10; cabbage, 75@90 sack; northern, 2 lb.; rhubarb, 75@1.00; garlic, 4@5; 60 doz.; Bell peppers, 12@15; chile peppers, 50@; green onions, 1.00@2 doz.; fancy, 40@50; asparagus, 12; turnips, 90@35; mangoes, 4.

POULTRY—Dealers pay by weight fur stock in good condition, as follows: Hens, per lb., 16@17; ducks, 18@12; turkeys, 14½@19; geese, 10 @12; broilers, 20; fryers, 17; selling price, per lb., dressed, old hens, 18@20; spring, 20@22; young roosters, 20; broilers, per doz., 2.75@3.00; fryers 22 lb.; frozen turkeys, 23½@24; ducks, 20 lb.; geese, 18 lb.

PROVISIONS—Lard, pure, per lb., tierce basis, Silver Leaf, 9½@9¾; Rex, 9¾; White Label, 9; Orange Blossom, 8¾; Compound lard, per lb.; tierces, 6½@6¾; cottolene, white, 5s, 4.80 case; 10s, 6.35; 25s, 8.75; yellow, 5s, 4.60; 10s, 6.15; tierces, 5¾ lb.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 13½; Winchester, 14½; Premium, 14; Gold Band, 13½; 1-sack cured hams, 13½; picnics, 10; Cal. hams, 9½; skinned hams, 13½; 14 Ave. hams, 14½; 12 Ave. hams, 14.

HAY—Choice grain, No. 1, 17.00@18.00 ton; grain, No. 1, 15.00@16.00 ton; No. 2, 14.00; northern alfalfa, 13.00.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., bellies, 11½@ 12½; short clears, 11½@11¾; clear backs, 10½@ 11¾.

BACON—10-12, 14½; 8 Ave., 15@15½; Empire, 16; 6/8, 16@17; Premium, 19½; Gold Band, 20; Diamond C. bacon, 13½.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 17½@19½.

PICKLED PORK—20.00 bbl.

LIVE STOCK—Hogs, 5½@5¾; cwt.; cattle, steers, 4½@4¾; cows, 3½; sheep, 2.00@4.50.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS—Flour, some mills, per bbl., 4.20; all eastern wheat, 4.25 per bbl.; blended Cal. and eastern, per bbl., 4.90@5.50; cornmeal, basis 10s, W. or T., 2.20 per cwt.; graham flour, basis 10s, 2.50 cwt.; rolled barley, 1.35 per cwt.; cracked corn, 1.50 cwt.; bran, 1.20 cwt.; feed flour, 1.40 cwt.; shorts, 1.45 per cwt.; oil cake meal, 2.00 cwt.; wheat, 1.70 per cwt.; barley, 1.45 cwt.; oats, 1.45 cwt.; Kaffy corn, 1.45 cwt.; rye flour, basis 10s, 3.75 cwt.; cottonseed meal, 1.80 cwt.; cocoanut cake, 1.55 cwt.; whole wheat, 10s, 2.00; cracked wheat, 10s, 2.00; Marina, 10s, 2.00; Al, 10s, 2.00; banquet, 10s, 2.00; pastry, 10s, 2.75; eastern graham, 10s, 2.45.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Beets, 10c; ½ bbls, 25c, boxes 50c; 50-lb. sacks 30c cwt. higher. Beet, 5.05; cane, 4.75; fruit sugar, 4.75; Ext. C. 4.60; Golden C, 4.55; "D," 4.45; Magnolia "A," 5.75; tablets, ½ bbl. 4.65; tablets, boxes, 4.90; cube, 4.80; powdered, 4.75; conf. A, 4.15.

SALT—Bales, 1.10; cases, 1.25; dairy, 8.00 ton; rock, 7.50 ton; half-ground, 7.50 ton; imported, lump, 20.55.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The heavy engagements of gold for export to Paris tomorrow were made the nominal occasion for selling of stocks today, but the taking of profits on yesterday's feverish and volatile advances was an obvious motive in many parts of the list. The weakness of those stocks was offset by strong advances at other points, according to the usual method of supporting the market to facilitate the taking of profits by professional operators. But the not very striking advance in such stocks as Reading and Missouri Pacific among the usual favorites, even supplemented as it was by the rise in a lengthy list of specialties, proved a poor substitute as a stimulating factor for yesterday's movements in the Vanderbilts. The mass offered to the market for digestion proved under these circumstances somewhat heavier than could be comfortably absorbed, and the prevailing tone was heavy. Large exports of gold were expected this week, and the prospect has occasioned little concern, owing to the actual embarrassment found in securing employment for the accumulating bank reserves at this center, in spite of a considerable activity in the issues of the securities and investment in existing bond issues. But an outgo for a single day of upwards of $5,000,000 in the precious metal and the light impression caused by the enormous supply of exchange on that market are impressive facts. The insatiable demand of the Paris market for gold is the more notable, in view of the rapid recuperation of London's supply, that capital having returned $3,000,000 from Egypt and the largest single consignment ever received from Cape Town within the past week. Yet the principal demand from Paris continues to be upon New York. It is evident that the only change in conditions that is likely to put a stop to the movement will be an advance in interest rates which will offer a sufficient inducement to keep the gold at home, rather than send it abroad to secure the additional advantage offered there. Quite as influential a factor in the stock market was the action of the Vanderbilt shareholders and of the more sober consideration given of the recent rumors regarding a wholesale consolidation of that group with the great Harriman properties. Yesterday's action toward the concentration of operating control in the Vanderbilt group and the known extension of Rockefeller holdings in New York Central, while of admitted importance in the standing of these securities, was not felt to be sufficient to explain the violent movements in the group. The rise of twenty-five points effected yesterday in Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, which was partly lost before yesterday's closing, was completely yielded at one time today on transactions as small as those of yesterday. Its parent stocks, Northwestern and New York Central were also subject to the pressure to get out at the high level of prices. There was no difference of opinion as to the favorable showing of the quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation, but its securities were also subjected to a natural process of realizing, with the good news all public. The strength of the local tractions seemed to be associated with a threat of a strike by subway employees. The wide movements in specialties were not effected by special news developments. The halting and irregular tone of the market continued throughout. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $5,855,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High- est.	Low- est.	Clos- ing bid.
Atchison	35,500	97¾	96¾	97
Atchison pfd	20,000	102	101	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	....	....	....	122
Baltimore & Ohio	16,400	102	101	102
B. R. T.	1,200	77	77	77
Canadian Pacific	4,200	174	173	17.4
Central of New Jersey	400	196½	196	200
Chesapeake & Ohio	10,600	59¾	59¾	60¾
Chicago & Alton	....	....	....	47
Chicago & Alton pfd	....	....	....	80
Chicago Great Western	23,500	14¾	13¾	13¾
Chicago & N. W.	1,500	186	186	186
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	38,500	171½	169½	170½
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	2,000	18¾	17¾	17¾
Chicago T. & T. pfd	2,400	31½	30	30
C., C., C. & St. Louis	1,200	100¾	99¾	99¾
Colorado & Southern	4,400	32¾	31¾	32
Colo. & So. 1st pfd	200	68½	68	68
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd	1,600	37¾	37	37
Delaware & Hudson	28,000	192½	191	192½
D., L. & W.	400	280	280	280
Denver & Rio Grande	200	37¾	37¾	38
D. & R. G. pfd	700	87	86¾	87
Erie	51,000	41¾	41	41
Erie 1st pfd	1,000	79¾	78¾	79¾
Erie 2nd pfd	1,100	68	67¾	67¾
Hocking Valley	700	76	76	76
Hocking Valley pfd	200	93½	93½	93½
Illinois Central	3,500	137½	136¾	137
Iowa Central	100	20¾	20¾	20¾
Iowa Central pfd	100	47½	47½	47
Kansas City Southern	2,300	27	26¾	26¾
K. C. Southern pfd	27,200	65¾	64¾	64¾
Louisville & Nashville	2,500	138½	136¾	137¼
Manhattan L.	400	156½	156½	156½
Metropolitan Securities	19,600	97½	97½	97½
Metropolitan St. Ry.	11,700	118	116½	117½
Mexican Central	1,900	17¾	17¾	17¾
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	54
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	700	135	135	135
Minn., St. Paul pfd	400	139¾	139¾	139¾
Missouri Pacific	27,400	107¾	106¾	107¾
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	300	21¾	21¾	21¾
M., K. & T. pfd	1,000	47¾	46¾	47¾
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	....	....	....	41
New York Central	11,900	149	147¾	147¾
N. Y., Ontario & West	2,300	44	43½	43¾
Norfolk & Western	1,100	79¾	79¾	79¾
N. & W. pfd	700	84¾	84	84
Pennsylvania	55,600	139½	137¾	137¾
P., C. C. & St. Louis	1,000	124	124	124
Reading	400,000	91¾	89¾	90¾
Reading 1st pfd	1,000	93	92	92½
Reading 2nd pf l	400	88¾	88	88¾
Rock Island Co.	10,200	31¾	30½	30¾
Rock Island Co. pfd	800	67¾	66¾	66¾
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	4,400	72¾	71¾	71¾
St. Louis, S. W.	400	25¾	25¾	25¾
St. L., S. W. pfd	1,100	61¾	60¾	60¾
Southern Pacific	31,600	118¾	116¾	116¾
So. Pacific pfd	900	118¾	118	118
Southern Railway	1,200	34¾	34	34
So. Railway pfd	1,100	97¾	97¾	97¾
Texas & Pacific	2,100	34¾	34¾	34¾
Toledo, St. L. & W.	....	....	....	25
T., St. L. & W. pfd	....	....	....	53
Union Pacific	49,900	1 2	121¾	121¾
Union Pacific pfd	100	98	97¾	97¾
Wabash	7,700	22¾	21¾	22
Wabash pfd	5,600	45	43¾	44
Wheeling & Lake Erie	400	19¾	18¾	19¾
Wisconsin Central	4,000	25¾	24¾	25¾
Wisconsin Cen. pfd	5,400	53¾	50¾	51¾
Express companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	245
American	200	234½	234½	240
United States	....	....	....	1.0
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	230
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	27,600	74¾	73¼	73¾
Am. Car & Foundry	1,200	33¾	33	33¾
Am. C. & F. pfd	700	95½	93	92
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	53
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	....	....	....	93
American Ice	3,400	7¼	6¾	6¾
American Ice pfd	5,800	49¾	29	49
American Linseed Oil	....	....	....	14¾
American Linseed Oil pfd	100	41	....	40
American Locomotive	1,700	37¾	36¾	36¾
Am. Locomotive pfd	200	110¾	110¾	110
Am. Smelting & Ref.	2,400	81¾	80¾	81¾
Am. S. & R. pfd	....	....	....	104
Am. Sugar Refining	3,00	141¾	141	142¾
Am. Tobacco, pfd. cer.	10,600	94½	94	94¾
Anaconda Mining Co.	600	108¾	108	108¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	12,000	61¾	60¾	61¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	10,200	47¾	47	46¾
Consolidated Gas	300	205	203	202½
Corn Products	....	....	....	19¾
Corn Products pfd	....	....	....	77¾
Distillers' Securities	600	38¾	38	38¾
General Electric	700	181¾	180¾	181¾
International Paper	700	21	20	20¾
Int'l Paper pfd	300	77¾	76	77¾
International Pump	....	....	....	37¾
Int'l Pump pfd	200	87	87	86
National Lead	8,200	2 4¾	23¾	24
North American	2,800	102½	101	101

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The Ruskin Art Club came to the rescue of the Federation local board, yesterday morning, in a matter that has been troubling the latter not a little. Until yesterday there had been no offers from the club members of the city for the entertainment of a few guests, speakers on the programme of the State Federation, who will be in the city during the sessions of that body.

Mrs. Hendrick, president of the local board, laid the trouble before the members of the Ruskin Art Club, and asked if there were any of them who possessed sufficient room in their household, and who could count upon maids for the three days of the week, that they would kindly volunteer to receive these delightful women who are coming, and save the reputation of Los Angeles for cordiality and hospitality.

There were ready responses from Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Fessenden, and Mrs. O. F. Brant, making a goodly quota for one club.

A meeting was announced for this morning, at 10 o'clock, at the Ruskin Art rooms for the chairmen and all individual committee members composing the local board. Another meeting will be held the first day of the Federation at Simpson's Auditorium, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

All club members who have not received their tickets of admission to the Federation proceedings, may obtain them at the Auditorium, next week upon presentation of membership tickets from their own clubs.

Yesterday's lesson at the Ruskin Art Club was conducted by Mrs. G. L. Hutchinson and Mrs. J. N. Gibson. Sculpture was discussed at length. Mrs. Dixon gave a charming sketch of Chantry and Gibson; Mrs. Clough talked in a bright and versatile manner of the painters Crane and Herkomer. Mrs. Snowden took up Stevens, Foley and Boehm, telling interesting things of each. Mrs. Koyer dealt with Watts and Leighton; Mrs. Fessenden of Ford and Thornycroft, and Mrs. G. L. Hutchinson gave a talk on Alfred Gilbert and Harry Bates. Mrs. J. F. Kanst completed the entertaining programme with a paper on Frampton and Swan.

Pomona Ebell.

Good work has been accomplished this season by the Pomona Ebell Club along the lines of music and art, study of California landmarks, with a tourist's section and a traveler's section, and Shakespeare study and civic work in contemplation.

Among the lectures given before the club none has been more instructive and delightful than the lecture on "Tolstoi," delivered last week, at Cooperative Hall, by Mrs. B. Fay Mills.

"Some day," said Mrs. Mills, "there will be a page of history not of Russia alone, but of the whole modern world, on which will be written, 'There was a man sent from God whose name was Tolstoi'—a man who by mere insight, consistency of life, fearless, forcible speech, and in utter self forgetfulness, was to contribute a mighty and effective effort toward making straight the way of the Lord, for this, the twentieth century. Tolstoi is a man with a message for today and we will do well to give a reverent and unprejudiced attention to his teachings."

Next week the Pomona Ebell expects to have a lecture from Mrs. Adams-Fisher. There are nearly two hundred members in the club now, and the officers are: Mrs. Edgar German, president; Mrs. Ferd Doris, first vice-president; Mrs. Sarah B. Mimer, second vice-president; Mrs. F. D. Green, treasurer; Mrs. B. A. Gilmore, recording secretary; Mrs. A. J. Bartlett, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. F. D. Crank, general curator and librarian.

Tuesday Topics Club.

The evangelistic movement in the city furnished items for discussion at the last meeting of the Tuesday Topics Club. The war in the Far East was spoken of at length; and conditions in unhappy Russia were described.

Mrs. L. W. Godin's paper on the ancient Peruvian Incas attracted special attention in view of the proposed plan to drain Lake Titicaca, and so rescue from its depths the splendid mementoes of the life and customs of this ancient people which have been lost for many centuries.

Music was given by Miss Burlingame and Mrs. Small, and Mrs. James read an amusing dialect story. The following delegates were chosen to represent the club at the State Federation: Mrs. A. S. Averill and Mrs. Clampitt, with Mrs. W. A. Lamb and Mrs. Johnson as alternates.

Wednesday Morning Club.

At the business meeting of the Wednesday Morning Club, the following delegates and alternates to the State Federation, were elected: Mrs. H. C. Gower, Mrs. F. E. Prior, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, with Mrs. R. J. Adcock, Mrs. Edwin Bird and Mrs. C. S. Goodrich, as alternates.

A piano solo was given by Miss Alice Rubsch, and Mrs. Kenny who presided over the morning's programme introduced Rev. Dana Bartlett who spoke to the club on "The Other Fellow."

"Every man," said he, "is built in three stories; physical, mental and spiritual," and he went on to show how some never climbed higher than the first story, some went as far as the second, and only a few realised the high atmosphere of the spiritual.

At the close of his moving and convincing talk, Mrs. A. M. Foster made a plea to the club for the furnishing of a room in the Bethlehem Men's Hotel, where Rev. Bartlett has been trying to help the "other fellow" to climb the three stories of his God-given nature. The programme closed with a vocal solo by Mrs. Welsh.

After the club luncheon, the choral class met with Madame Gordon-Norman. This class will meet with Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Feb. 16.

There will be no meeting of the Wednesday Morning Club next week, owing to the State Federation.

February 15, the Shakespeare section will meet with Mrs. M. A. Adams for the study of King Lear. Mrs. Prior will conduct the parliamentary drill, at 1 p.m., and Mrs. Lou V. Chapin the Current Events, at 2 p.m. February 22, the Shakespeare section meets in the morning, and the choral class in the afternoon.

Cosmos Club.

An animated discussion was held at the meeting of the Cosmos Club yesterday afternoon. "Shall Men be Admitted to Women's Clubs?" was the question which gained additional interest and acumen because it will come up in an amendment to the constitution at the meeting of the State Federation. The sentiment of the members present yesterday did not favor the admission of men.

Current Topics was conducted by Mrs. Greenleaf. Father Junipero Serra and the early California missions were discussed in connection with the study of California history.

Delegates chosen to represent the club at the Federation are Mrs. C. L. Lewis, Mrs. Eugene B. Root and Miss Kutse. The alternates are Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. H. G. Dean and Mrs. Alice Gerson.

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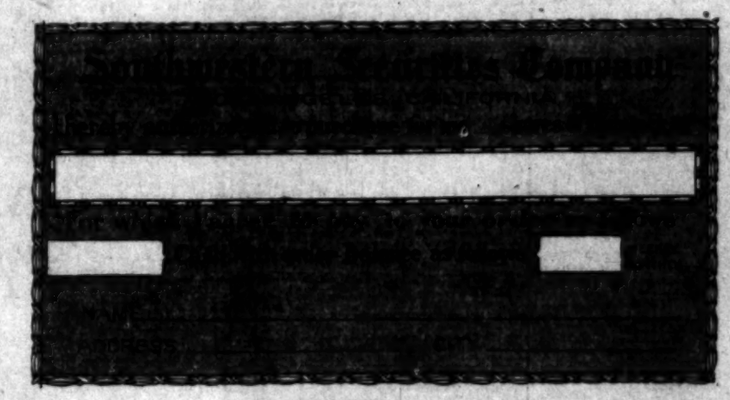

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25	1,000	1,000	200	8,000	8,000
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A few of the letters recently received from eminent Bishops and ministers well known to the people of Los Angeles are printed herewith:

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Robert J. Burdette, Pastor
Los Angeles, California

January 13th 1904

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Most cordially
Robert J. Burdette

January 11, 1905

To Whom it may Concern—

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J. L. Thomson
Pastor of the Independent Church of Christ

St. Vibiana's Cathedral
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Los Angeles, Cal.

Jan. 20-05

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I take pleasure in introducing it to the Bible-reading public.

Very truly yours,
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per S.

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Dr. Hugh Johnston, D.D.
Pastor
Los Angeles, Cal. Jan. 9, 1905

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REVIVALS.

(Continued from First Page.)

played upstairs—they are strangers to him.

He has fair, curly hair. His cheeks are flushed, his eyes cast down, and a weak smile wavers about his mouth. "It lies with you," one of the men is saying in a low, vibrant voice, "whether you will take this step tonight or not. If you give God your heart you must give Him also your head—this must be a decision, not an impulse," and so on.

In the end maybe they win him, perhaps they don't; but in all his after life nothing will make the lad wholly forget that quiet hour of godly reasoning or seal his ears against the echoes of that holy talk.

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And yet—and yet! Perhaps the little old man with the unkempt beard and the kindly, quizzical eye expressed it aptly when he said, in a half-apologetic aside: "It don't seem jest th' same. Seems like it ain't rousin' enough. No doubt they're bein' saved; no doubt. But I mistrust there's some of them won't stay saved. It don't seem like they're roused. My kind of gospel is to knock 'em down and drag them out and rope 'em while they're still kickin' with th' thongs of th' Spirit, and brand 'em for God with the iron o' th' Holy Ghost—excuse me, brother, I mean no irreverence; then, I tell you, they stay saved!"

Even while this whispered confidence was going on the leader of the meeting was saying, in a calm though earnest voice: "Take a minute to think about it. This can be no leap in the dark. Come to God, I do beseech you, my brother, but come to him with your brain and your body, as well as your heart—and he will save your soul. Think, think, think! Then act. And may God guide you and bless you in your decision."

There was a puzzled, deprecating, almost hurt look in the little old man's eyes, for he had caught the import of this while he whispered. His wrinkled hand, strong and sinewy yet, kept running along the top of the pew in front, clutching and opening in suppressed emotion. There was a moment's lull in the room. He rose.

"Forty years ago, when I was ——"

"We praise Thee, O God, for the Son of Thy love——"

That was one of the leaders. The whole assemblage caught up the familiar hymn and swelled it to a mighty throated anthem.

The little old man raised a hand as though to command silence but his fingers got no farther than his clean-shaved upper lip, there to pluck tremblingly and then to fall by uncertain stages down the length of his unkempt beard. Gradually a light broke upon him, and he sat down.

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In Olivet Congregational Church, away out at Washington street and Magnolia avenue, an evangelist with a deep-seamed face and a voice like a sudden noise in a vacant house, spoke to half-filled pews. 'Twas very muddy weather outside, so many had stayed inside. Bright-hued American flags draped the pulpit wall, and over against the western plaster a dark brown hand-painted sign called out:

LADIES!
HATS OFF
SO MEN
CAN SEE.

Tell you what, they're getting it down to a science.

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While the rain last night again interfered somewhat with the size of the audiences that gathered at the several revival centers, they were nevertheless large, and characterized by a spirit of deepest interest.

It is safe to say that while most of the people who attend the meetings are moved by a desire to see the cause of the Lord prosper there are many others who would as certainly stay at home of a rainy night if they were not well entertained.

The Pentecostal fire of St. Peter from the tongue of a sluggard would be profitless. That the meetings all over the city continue to attract great crowds is conclusive evidence that the evangelists bring their message in good form and stage it well.

The first of the noon-day prayer meetings was held in Blanchard Hall yesterday and was well attended by business men. Dr. Chapman talked upon the necessity of good character-building, because man is building a house in which he must live forever. The audience sang under the direction of Charles F. Allen; Fred Butler rendered a bass solo and four of the evangelistic singers sang a quartette. They were W. H. Collison, O. F. Pugh, Charles Allen and Fred Butler. Tomorrow at the same hour the meeting will be under the leadership of Dr. Henry Ostrom.

The Greater Finance Committee of the evangelistic campaign will tender a banquet to the eight evangelists and the eight evangelistic singers on Saturday evening, at the assembly hall of the Young Woman's Christian Association.

Meetings will be held in all the districts this afternoon and tonight; the noon-day prayer-meeting will be held in Blanchard Hall under the leadership of Dr. Ostrom today and Dr. Walton tomorrow; a large number of cottage prayer meetings will be held in all parts of the city tomorrow morning at 8:30.

Does it not seem rather inapposite for a revivalist to have a hired personal press agent, like an actor or Buffalo Bill? Is this according to the gospel of humility? The press agent is an out-of-date institution, anyhow, except for country newspapers who have no reporters.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

WILL ALLEGE 'TIS ENMITY.

RIVERSIDE JUDGE AND JURY ORDERED TO COURT.

Presiding Judicial Officer and Every Member of Body That Indicted Diss and Hays Subpoenaed to Appear Friday, When Defendants Will Move to Quash Indictments.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Noyes and every member of the grand jury, which indicted Hays and Diss have been subpoenaed to appear in the Superior Court, Friday, when the defendants will move to quash the indictments. It will be claimed that the grand jury was composed of bitter personal enemies of Hays and so could not give fair consideration to the evidence. Judge Taggart of Santa Barbara will hear the case. Some sensational evidence is expected.

ORANGES KEEP MOVING.

The rather unsatisfactory condition of the eastern market has had but little effect on shipments of citrus fruits, the last week's output being the second heaviest of the season, 225 cars of oranges and 10 of lemons, having been sent away; a total for the season, thus far of 1300 cars of oranges and 50 cars of lemons.

GENTLEMEN DRIVERS.

Robert Smith, the famous driver of the celebrated California mare, Sweet Marie, will be in Riverside Friday evening to help in the organization of a gentlemen's driving club. The meeting will be held at Hotel Reynolds, and, as there are many fast steppers here, the success of the undertaking seems likely. A meeting is being arranged for the 22nd inst., a feature of which will be a race for a loving cup, offered by Jack Thompson, owner of El Diablo. The cup will probably be offered in the three-minute race. The new driving club will eliminate gambling from the track.

GUARDSMEN CHOOSE OFFICERS.

The members of Co. M, N.G.C., last evening elected officers, who are: F. M. Heath, captain; P. J. Bollinger, first lieutenant; F. F. Horton, second lieutenant. The new captain was not a member of the company, but is an old national guarder and a former captain of a New York State company. The election was followed by a supper at which the new and retiring officers spoke, among the after-dinner talkers being Maj. Sloat of San Bernardino, Capt. Mitchell, Lieut. Meacham, Capt. Heath and others.

LESSER LOCALS.

The West Riverside bridge is nearly completed, and has the distinction of being a public work, well and honestly carried out. Although the great need of the structure has been apparent for a long time, the progress of the work has been beset with difficulties. Owing to the elasticity of the contracts the Supervisors were obliged to do a part of the work. Supervisor Holmes has been in charge for the board.

A letter from the Rev. B. S. Haywood, D.D., a former Riverside pastor, now in Porto Rico, speaks in enthusiastic terms of his work there. "So far," he says, "the public schools are able to give education to only about 70,000 out of a school population of over 200,000 children. The new Governor, Winthrop, is very popular, and I believe wise and straight."

Mrs. C. R. Stibbins, John A. Bigelow, and Dr. and Mrs. Howe were the prize winners at the fourth of a series of whist parties being given by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White.

"To one night in a Pullman tourist car, $1000," is about the way Mrs. Bertie Smith's account in court against that company reads. Mrs. Smith, who left Riverside recently for Los Angeles, alleges that her health and nerves were damaged to that extent through being deprived of a berth for which she had paid; the conductor leaving the train without adjusting the points in dispute. The defendants allege that Mrs. Smith did not demand the berth, and that there was an empty upper berth she could have had by asking for it.

Secretary Winterbotham has returned from Los Angeles where he went to inspect the Riverside county exhibit recently returned from St. Louis. He found the jars of fruit in bad condition, many needing reprocessing and all relabeling. This work will be done by the Los Angeles chamber, after which the exhibit will be returned to Riverside and arranged in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. A quantity of fresh fruit for the Los Angeles exhibit will be sent at once, a part of it being formed by a fine lot of lemons, citrons and tangerines presented by Mr. Rumsey.

Peanuts have been tabooed by the city dads and no more permits for the sale of the tantalizingly ordoriferous and poular elephant food will be issued.

The Riverside Trust Company has elected new officers as follows: Directors, G. W. Freeman, Theodore D. Hewitt, M. J. Daniels, Charles E. Waite, D. W. Lewis, H. W. Leighton and J. W. Covert. The board organized by electing H. W. Leighton, president; Theodore D. Hewitt, vice-president; G. W. Freeman, secretary; L. B. Scranton, assistant secretary, and D. W. Lewis, manager.

Sterling A. Dunphy, aged 28, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. C. Slayton.

SAN BERNARDINO.

GRAND JURY COMMENDS.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 1.—The grand jury filed its final report with Superior Judge Oster this afternoon. Contrary to expectations, there was no sensation sprung, all the county officials being roundly praised for efficiency. District Attorney Sprecher was especially commended, a recommendation being made that the law be so changed as to allow him a deputy, whose salary is to be paid by the county; that the County Auditor be allowed a deputy at a salary of $900 a year; and that another deputy be allowed the County Clerk.

DIES IN HER CHAIR.

Mrs. Alice McReynolds, wife of J. W. McReynolds, died in her chair last night, after suffering two weeks with pneumonia. Unable to breathe, she arose from bed shortly after 11 o'clock and took a seat in the rocking chair near a partly-open window. The family sought to relieve her while awaiting the arrival of a physician, but before medical aid could arrive death had ensued. Justice C. L. Thomas held an inquest this morning, in the absence of the coroner, the jury's verdict being that death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart, induced by pneumonia.

WHERE'S HARLAND?

The Pacific Hardware and Steel Company of San Francisco has sued James Harland to recover $850 alleged to be due on an account. With the complaint is filed an affidavit that Harland's whereabouts is unknown. Harland formerly ran the Searchlight and Manvel stage line. He fell in love with the 16-year-old daughter of a Searchlight mining man. After planning to elope she weakened, and Harland attempted to force her bodily on a horse. Her screams aroused the neighborhood, and citizens, believing Harland had criminal motives in attacking her, pursued him for miles, and since then he has not been heard from. He has $20,000 on deposit at Searchlight, having turned his stage line into ready cash to enable him to get away with the girl.

BERDOOLINES.

The will of Mrs. Rabel, owner of Rabel Springs, who died here recently, was filed for probate today, the estate being valued at $12,500, all of which is divided among five children and three grandsons. The will further directs that her children by law have no part of her estate, have nothing to do with the handling of anything connected with the same, and be not benefited in any way by her death. These children-in-law are her daughters and sons-in-law.

The grand jury this afternoon returned a true bill against J. W. Rector, charged with having attempted a criminal assault upon a 7-year-old child at Goffs.

A special meeting of the Board of Trade has been called for next Friday to consider indorsing resolutions to be sent to the State's representatives at Washington, upholding the President's fight for the adjustment of railroad rates, and increasing the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The remains of James J. Hill, the old miner who was found dead in a Southern Pacific freight car at El Casco Monday night, have been taken to Riverside, as the indications are that he died in that county.

RIALTO.

YOUNG MAN KILLED.

RIALTO, Feb. 1.—Yesterday M. E. Foulke of West Rialto received a dispatch from a lumber company near Placerville, stating that his son, Lambert, employed there, had been fatally injured in a railroad accident. The first message was followed by a second announcing his death, which recalled the bereaved father from the journey he was making to the scene of the accident. No particulars have yet been learned. The body is expected in a short time.

An architect and builder came from Los Angeles yesterday to make arrangements to build a commodious modern cottage for L. E. Newcomb, Riverside and San Bernardino avenues.

Robert K. Wright, an octogenarian of Germantown, Pa., who is passing the winter in Pasadena, came here alone to visit Mrs. A. L. Wright.

COLTON.

BURGLAR SCARED OUT.

COLTON, Feb. 1.—A daring attempt to burglarize the residence of Dr. F. A. Pritchard was made this morning at 4 o'clock. As a result Mrs. Pritchard made a special shopping tour this morning and purchased a revolver and strong bolts for all the windows.

The noise of someone opening a kitchen window wakened Mrs. Pritchard. She thought it was a member of the household and arose to investigate. The house was dark and she made her way to the kitchen door just as a rough-looking hobo standing in the center of the room, struck a match and peered about. After a hasty inventory he started for the dining-room and the silverware. Then the woman, who had stood watching the intruder, made her escape unnoticed and aroused her husband. Meantime the tramp skipped.

REDLANDS.

BLEND JURY DISAGREES.

REDLANDS, Feb. 1.—The trial of C. Blend, manager of the Sun Drug Company here, has resulted in a disagreement of the jury. Blend is accused of violation of the liquor ordinance. The jury was out two hours and took five ballots.

ORANGE.

WATER BONDS SOLD.

ORANGE, Feb. 1.—The city trustees last night sold the $50,000 issue of municipal water bonds to the Adams-Phillips Company of Los Angeles, par and accrued interest. The bonds bear interest at 4½ per cent. and run for forty years. The purchasers were the owners of the present city water supply on East Chapman street, and immediately following the sale of the bonds the trustees voted to buy the waterworks from the Adams-Phillips Company for $29,000 cash. The remaining $21,000 of the issue will be devoted to improving the present system and extending and enlarging mains to give ample fire protection.

FULLERTON.

AGED WOMAN'S SORRY PLIGHT.

FULLERTON, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Ellen Pippen, aged 60, who came here from Riverside yesterday, told a pitiful story. Her son-in-law, so it is stated, wrote to her that he had obtained work in the oil fields and told her to come to him and assist in caring for his child. He said that he would meet her at the 6 o'clock night train, but he failed to appear. After paying for her bed last night she had but 50 cents left. Her son-in-law, George Rice, send word in by a stranger that he could no longer assist her and that he had left for the East.

Marshall Ruddock was informed of the facts and found temporary employment for the woman, who seems willing to work.

Mrs. Pippen's husband died nineteen years ago. She owned a valuable farm five miles from Kansas City, but it was destroyed by the overflow from the river two years ago; the house was washed away, the crop was lost and all of the stock drowned. The land has never dried out so that it can be cultivated. Her son, Robert Pippen and his wife and four children were drowned in the flood, when forty other families were carried down the stream and perished.

At the time of the great overflow Mrs. Pippen was in the city with her daughter, Mrs. Rice, who was ill. Mrs. Rice, hearing of the loss of her brother and his family, lost her mind and later it was learned she had consumption. After Mrs. Rice had given birth to a child, Mrs. Pippen and Mr. Rice and family came west to Phoenix, Ariz., for the benefit of Mrs. Rice's health, but soon after arrival there she died. Rice then came to Riverside and, not finding employment there, he decided to try the Fullerton oil field. Mrs. Pippen brought the child to Riverside two weeks ago. Rice left there with the infant, saying he would write for Mrs. Pippen to come to him when he located at Fullerton, but when she arrived here she was informed Rice had gone to Quincy, Ill., to take the child to his mother, who resides twenty-five miles from that city.

The woman has an honest appearance and is credited with telling a straight story.

TAYLOR MAKES STATEMENT.

Sam Taylor, who was arrested yesterday on a warrant sent to Sheriff Lacy from Warren county, Mo., based on a complaint, charging him with criminal abortion, came here with his wife four weeks ago. He says that a doctor performed the operation, but that he did take the girl to the physician and that is the only connection he had with the case. His relatives here, by marriage, say he is well known back at his old home, where he has been section boss for the Wabash Railroad for over ten years. Taylor gave bond today.

SANTA ANA.

FIGHTING FOR "THE SPIT."

SANTA ANA, Feb. 1.—An interesting suit to quiet title was begun in the Superior Court today to determine the ownership of valuable beach lands at East Newport variously claimed by George Hagar of Anaheim and Joseph Ferguson of Newport Beach. The latter first filed the property as overflow and swamp land, and subsequently Hagar made filings on the same ground, claiming it as tide land. Hagar then sued to have his claim made good. The land is known as "the spit," being the furthermost end of the arm upon which Newport Beach and Bayside are situated. Since the building up of the beach towns it has become very valuable and the decision of the suit therefore involves considerable money. It will also determine conclusively whether the property is to be regarded as tide or swamp lands. Testimony was submitted today, much of it being of an expert nature in reference to tides and overflow.

EL MODENA PIONEER DEAD.

William W. Hoyt, a pioneer of El Modena, died today at the advanced age of 80 years. Funeral services will be conducted from the residence by Rev. Morrison of Orange. Mr. Hoyt is survived by a widow and family of daughters. His home on the hills back of El Modena is a conspicious feature of the place and during his residence of fifteen years in El Modena Mr. Hoyt has been prominent in its affairs.

DEATH IN TUSTIN.

E. C. Van Horn of Tustin died at his residence last night, aged 73 years. The funeral will be conducted Friday at 10 o'clock at Mills & Winbigler's parlors in this city. Deceased has been living for the past year at the home of his son in Tustin.

TAYLOR RELEASED.

Samuel T. Taylor, arrested yesterday for an alleged ugly crime has secured his release from the County Jail through bail money furnished by his father-in-law, Rudolph Theissen, and Mr. Cook, both of Fullerton. Bonds had been set at $1500. The complaint in the hands of the officers here alleges that the felony with which Taylor is charged was committed December 17, 1904, upon the person of Lena Gibson, in Warrenstown, Mo. The complaining witness is J. B. Garber, prosecuting attorney of Warren county. Officers are en route from Missouri with extradition papers to take Taylor back.

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Schooner Brothers, Ballast wharf.
Schooner Cabrillo, Banning wharf.
Schooner Polaris, South, Cal. wharf.
Schooner S. T. Alexander, So. Cal. wharf.
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Schooner Susie M. Plummer, South. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Ensign, Southwestern wharf.
Schooner Espada, Crescent wharf.
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Schooner Alice McDonald, South. Cal. wharf.
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Schooner William H. Smith, South. Cal. wharf.
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TO LEAVE—THURSDAY, FEB. 2.

Steamer Alcazar, Capt. Winkell, for Greenwood, via San Francisco.
Steamer Coos Bay, for San Francisco and way ports.
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FRIDAY, Feb. 3—Steamer Olympic, Capt. Hansen, for San Francisco.

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Steamer Francis H. Leggett, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer R. Slade, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Helen P. Drew, from Greenwood.
Steamer Alcatraz, from Point Arena.
Steamer Northland, from Portland via San Francisco.
Steamer Newburg, from Aberdeen.
Barkentine Gleaner, from Seattle.
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Schooner Salem, fro mPort Blakeley.
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Schooner American, from Portland.
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Schooner Luzon, from Astoria.
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Schooner Robert Searles, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Carrier Dove, from Aberdeen.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer San Gabriel, Eureka.
Barkentine Skagit, Port Gamble.
Barkentine John C. Meyer, Everett.
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Schooner Maid of Orleans, Seattle.
Schooner Resolute, Aberdeen.
Schooner Cecelia Sudden, Aberdeen.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.
Schooner Balboa, Port Townsend.
Schooner Joseph Russ, Portland.
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Schooner E. K. Wood, Bellingham.
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Schooner Louise, Umpqua River.
Steamer Ludlow, Port Townsend.
Schooner Makuhona, Astoria.
Schooner Snow and Burgess, Everett.
Schooner Alert, Bellingham.
Schooner Stimson, Ballard.

FROM EASTERN PORTS.

Ship Bangalore, Capt. Blanchard, out 83 days from Delaware Breakwater.

FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Pindos, Capt. Timm, out 39 days from Hamburg.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		Tide	
Thursday,	Feb. 2	7:47 a.m.	1:18 a.m.
		9:06 p.m.	2:4[illegible] p.m.
Friday,	" 3	8:24 a.m.	1:38 a.m.
		9:40 p.m.	2:37 p.m.
Saturday,	" 4	9:38 a.m.	2:35 p.m.
		10:12 p.m.	3:43 p.m.
Sunday,	" 5	9:32 a.m.	3:10 a.m.
		10:44 p.m.	4:13 p.m.
Monday,	" 6	10:05 a.m.	3:42 a.m.
		11:15 p.m.	4:41 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 7	10:35 a.m.	4:15 a.m.
		11:42 p.m.	5:06 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 8	11:04 a.m.	4:50 a.m.
			5:27 p.m.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

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Launch Alpha, Capt. Young, with ten tons sardines for California Fish Company.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mascolo, from Redondo.

SAILED.

Ten sailboats and five power launches for fishing banks, and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

PORT ITEMS.

WEATHER: Rain at 5 p.m.; wind southeast, velocity 18 miles.

The schooner Carrier Dove sailed yesterday from Aberdeen with a full cargo of lumber consigned to wholesalers at this port.

The steamer Curacao, which arrived yesterday at San Francisco from Mexican ports, brought a large shipment of bullion from Mexican mines, valued at over $250,000. The total tonnage of her cargo was 1982.

Capt. O. A. Crockett has been enrolled as master of the new tug Redondo, which has arrived at Port Los Angeles, and which will be used for towing at that port. C. H. Macloon has been enrolled as master of the bark Martha Davis, and D. H. McNeill of the steamer Napa City.

Notice to mariners has been issued from the Twelfth Lighthouse District stating that the first-class spar buoy, black No. 1, marking the outer end of North Jetty, Humboldt Bar, Cal., heretofore reported missing, was replaced on January 26, in twenty-four feet of water.

The steamer James S. Higgins, which arrived last night from Fort Bragg, brought 25,000 feet of lumber for Montgomery & Mullen, 100,000 feet for Lansburg Lumber Company, 50,000 feet for the L. W. Blinn Lumber Company, 85,000 feet for the Union Lumber Company and 42,000 feet for the Ganahl Lumber Company.

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DIED ON STREET.

Wife of Well-known Santa Fe Employee Succumbs to Sudden Attack of Heart Disease.

Mrs. Alfred Childs, wife of one of the chief car inspectors of the Santa Fé system, died suddenly on the sidewalk on Wall street near Twelfth last evening. She was en route from her home at No. 912 Maple avenue to the home of a friend when she fell to the ground. Two young men saw her fall and assisted her into the house at No. 1155 Wall street and summoned several physicians. She was dead when they reached her.

The deceased was about 50 years of age. She had been under treatment for disease of the heart; in fact she came to Los Angeles a comparatively short time ago hoping that the change of climate would cause the disease to yield to treatment. Her husband is at Albuquerque and was notified by wire of his wife's death. The body was taken to Bresee Bros. morgue.

Desert Telegraph Line.

It is not generally known that there is a telegraph across the southern desert land of the Australian continent 2000 miles in length. It runs partially through an uninhabited country and long tracts of waterless desert. While it was being constructed more than 2000 tons of materials had to be carried far into the interior, and many of the iron and wood poles were conveyed 400 miles. A recent report says that the wear and tear of this telegraph construction has been inconsiderable, but there is great difficulty found in supplying the stations across the desert with operators.—[Indianapolis News.

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The Iowa Society will meet this evening in the parlors of Hotel Carlton. Mary Winegar, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Winegar of Grand Rapids, Mich., died yesterday at the hospital.

The death of Horace Wolf, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Wolf, No. 185 West Hammond street, occurred yesterday. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the Wolf home.

Miss Nannie Shaffer will be married in February 15 to Walter L. Frost of Redondo. The wedding will take place at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shaffer of No. 56 North Hollister avenue.

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SANTA MONICA.

BRICK FOR THE OUTFALL.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—The first carload of machinery for the new brick factory being established in East Santa Monica by the Simons Brick Company has arrived and is being installed in the buildings that are being erected on the site. The office building is already occupied and the foundations are about ready to receive the machinery. More of the equipment is on the way from the East and it is expected that within a few weeks the plant will be in operation. Here brick will be manufactured to fill the order for the Los Angeles outfall sewer. The Sunset brick factory will also made brick at its plant here for the outfall sewer. It is expected that Santa Monica factories will supply not far short of 2000 trolley-car loads of brick for this purpose, and the factories here are expected to be operated at their full capacity for many months in filling the orders.

CITY DADS' DOINGS.

At the meeting of the City Trustees last night the property owners' petition for the establishing of the grade on India street was granted. This is the first step looking to the paving of that thoroughfare with concrete. A resolution of intention to grade and oil South Fourth street from Strand to Hill was adopted. A resolution was also adopted ordering the grading, oiling, curbing and sidewalking of Eleventh street from Oregon avenue to Nevada avenue. The annual report of the Ocean Park Water Company was submitted. It shows that the plant had received betterments during the year amounting to $6436.74. A petition asking that bicyclists be permitted to ride wheels on the Ocean Front sidewalks was referred to the City Attorney for a legal opinion. A remonstrance was received against the passage of any ordinance imposing a license tax upon building contractors.

ELKS' CLUBHOUSE.

The Elks of this city tonight formally dedicated their fine new clubhouse, which occupies a sightly location on Arizona avenue, fronting the ocean. These elegant quarters were formerly known as the Doris Jones mansion, the house having been erected a few years ago as a palatial residence at a cost of $15,000 for house and grounds. Since the local lodge of Elks has taken charge of the premises $500 has been spent in overhauling the house and refitting and refurnishing it throughout, until it is probably today the finest Elk clubhouse in Southern California. There are smoking and card rooms, billiard tables, a reception hall, dining-room and bed chambers. The furniture is of the mission style and there is a piano and the reading rooms are supplied with all of the popular periodicals and magazines. The grounds are well kept and handsome, with their palms and semi-tropical shrubs and foliage. The grounds are ample in size to permit of the erection of a lodge room adjoining the club quarters and the consummation of this plan is to be realized in the near future. The lodge is less than a year old and with a membership of 115 is growing rapidly.

The Santa Monica City Trustees at their meeting last night granted a permit to the Southern California Realty Company to erect a building at the foot of Marine street and extending into the sea for a distance of ninety feet. This structure, which is to cost $1,000, will be of the Moorish style of architecture. It will be in the nature of a bazaar and will be fifty feet in width and more than a hundred feet in length. The promoters of the enterprise announce that work is to be commenced on it within a few weeks. The plan is to make it a highly ornamental affair, with convenient booths and diverse attractions. The idea embraces a plaza for music and many other features. The decorations alone it is stated will cost $5000.

SANTA MONICA JOTS.

E. C. Waltmyer is building a five-room home on Fourteenth street and Michigan avenue. F. C. Marvin is erecting a six-room cottage on Sixteenth street and Michigan. C. C. Almans is soon to begin work on a bungalow on Fifteenth street. H. G. Gilman is building a cottage on Twenty-third street.

The Santa Monica bowling team lost three games to Long Beach last night and dropped to third or fourth place in the league tournament.

The Wistaria Club gave its first rehearsal of "Above the Clouds" this evening. The play will be put on in February at the Auditorium.

The total rainfall of Santa Monica for the season is 4.40 inches. A gentle rain is falling this evening.

W. C. Dutton conducted a temperance meeting at Hull Hall tonight. The attendance was large and the interest intense.

At 7 o'clock tomorrow morning a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated at St. Monica Catholic Church for Rev. P. Smith of San Pedro.

W. B. Lawrence, John M. Watkins, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLauren and daughter, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; George P. Gortiman, Mrs. Gortiman and Miss Gortiman, Pittsburgh, Pa., are at the Arcadia.

Joseph Burkhard, accompanied by his family has arrived at home on the beach after an absence of almost a year in Europe.

L. C. Watkey is to again be a resident of Santa Monica and will be connected with the management of the local water company. R. M. Miller is no longer connected with the water management.

Surveys are being made by the Los Angeles Pacific's engineering corps for the new line, that is to connect Sawtelle with the Soldiers' Home and reach Santa Monica by way of the cañon. The preliminary survey in Sawtelle runs north on the alley between Sixth and Seventh streets.

Mrs. Martha Herrick, department president of the Ladies of G.A.R., is expected to reach Sawtelle this week, when it is expected work will be ordered commenced on the cottages that are designed to accommodate the veterans and their families. As per present plans the cottages will be of two stories each. All will be quite similar in design and there will eventually be a large number of them.

CLAREMONT.

RUBBER FOR TRACKERS.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 1.—Coach Hempel has procured the services of a professional rubber for the track team. Hill, the new rubber, comes highly recommended and will no doubt be able to better the condition of the men of the team by his skill. Everything possible is being done by the trustees and faculty to aid Hempel in perfecting the athletics of the college.

Rev. H. W. Pope of the Northfield extension movement is holding evangelistic services this week. The meetings will continue one week.

Jacob A. Riis will address the students of Pomona College Monday evening in Holmes Hall Chapel. This is an unexpected treat for students and citizens and was only made possible by the intimate friendship between President Gates and Mr. Riis.

Miss Ada M. Coy, '04, of San Bernardino, and Miss Agness Taylor, '04, of Ontario, visited Monday with Miss Bertha Eldridge.

THREE MISSING ON ROUGH SEA.

ALARM AT SAN PEDRO FOR A PARTY IN SKIFF.

Duncan Baxter and Companions Go Out in New Craft on Fishing Trip and, After Being Away All Night, Search is Made, but Without Finding Them—Contrary Wind.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 1.—Anxiety is felt here for Charles Johnson, Tom Hagerty and Duncan Baxter, who left this port yesterday morning in a small skiff, rigged with a sail, for a fishing trip, intending to return last night.

This morning friends of the men became alarmed, and Alexander Bluhm and W. Crockett went out in search of the missing men, going as far as Point Vincent, but returned without finding any trace of them.

The skiff was recently built for Charles Johnson, one of the men, and the fact that this was the initial trip of the little boat, adds to the fear that all may not be well with the men.

Duncan Baxter is an old Scotch sailmaker, well known at Terminal, where he resides. Johnson and Hagerty are longshoremen. All the men are past middle age.

This evening the wind has shifted to the southeast, with rain, and as the sea is rough outside it is hardly probable that the men can make shore, if they have not already done so. They carried only a small amount of provision, and having no top coats are not prepared for rough weather and exposure to the elements.

SUPPRESSING THE BOSS.

The petition for the reorganization of the city of San Pedro and changing it from a sixth class to a fifth class city was presented to the Board of Trustees last night. This is the petition of which agitator "Boss" Craig, secretary of the local labor union, is the principal daddy, and through which he hopes to accomplish the recall of the present municipal officers.

Upon motion of Trustee Mahar the petition was referred to the City Clerk to determine if the requisite number of signatures are affixed as provided by law, and in case the required number have signed, City Attorney Karr was instructed to prepare an ordinance calling the election. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote of the board, which seem heartily in favor of putting a quietus to "Boss" Craig with the greatest possible dispatch.

There is but little probability that the fine Italian scheme of "Boss" Craig for a "recall" through the medium of reorganization will succeed. Already the voters are asking "What is to be gained by the proposed change?" Should the city be reorganized it will lose about 30 per cent. of its present school fund allotment, as the district now includes the German settlement, and in addition the taxes would be materially increased. Neither do the thinking people and those of large interests relish the idea of having a one-ides man like "Boss" Craig in the saddle, whipping his henchmen into line, and riding roughshod over the property and personal rights of all interests save his own.

BIDDING ON SEWERS.

Bids were opened last night by the Board of Trustees for the building of the important Palos Verdes street outfall sewer. The work has been divided into four sections, and most of the proposals received did not include section No. 4, which with the exception of the first 200 feet, will be in the outer harbor and below mean low water. The Hall Construction Company, and Ramish & Marsh were the only two firms submitting bids to include this section. The bid of the former for the entire work was $20,300, and of the latter, $18,100.

The entire length of section 4 of the Palos Verdes street outfall is to be 1906 feet. The specifications provide that this section shall be constructed of fourteen-inch double strength salt-glazed vitrified sewer pipe embedded in concrete.

Action upon the bids was deferred by the board until next Monday night. It is stated that the bid of Ramish & Marsh, of Los Angeles, in the sum of $18,100, is well within the estimates of City Engineer Whitman.

SEAPORT BRIEFS.

City Recorder J. V. B. Goodrich probably holds the record for rapid judicial work. Yesterday morning Hamilton Forest and his wife, Epiphany Forest, arrived here on the 11 o'clock car. At 11:45 o'clock they were arrested for peddling without a license. A few minutes before 12 o'clock, noon, they appeared before Recorder Goodrich, pleaded guilty and paid their fine, after which they departed on the 1 o'clock car for Los Angeles.

The launch Bonnie Bird has been sold by Al Larson to John Bird of the Crescent Wharf Company.

ALHAMBRA.

NEW YORK WOMAN HURT.

ALHAMBRA, Feb. 1.—The committee appointed to investigate the street shade-tree question will make a report to the Main-street property owners and all others interested at the City Hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Alhambra Chapter, O. E. S. had an interesting time Monday evening, when District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Willa King of Los Angeles made an official visit and inspection. Mrs. Lambert, matron of Acacia Chapter, Mrs. Waterman, matron and Mr. McKinnie, patron of Palestine Chapter, Los Angeles, were in attendance. The district deputy, Mrs. King, was presented with a souvenir spoon by the chapter, after which came addresses from the visitors and refreshments in the banquet hall.

Mrs. Anna Jackson, an elderly lady from New York State, came from Los Angeles on an electric car this morning to visit the family of S. J. Pickett in Dolgeville. At the usual stopping place, the Main street crossing of the Southern Pacific road, she attempted to alight from the car after it had started, and was thrown violently. She was taken up unconscious by James Stuart, and carried into his office, where after a few minutes she revived and was taken to the home of her friends, the Picketts. Mrs. Jackson was severely bruised and perhaps hurt internally, although it is not thought at this time anything serious will result.

A good baseball game was played here Saturday afternoon between a team from the Whittier High School and one from the Alhambra High School. The result of the game was a score of 5 to 3 in favor of Whittier. There was no scoring or errors after the fourth inning.

Justice Northrup has been laid up by illness a few days, but is now improving.

B. Cohen has returned home from a month's commercial trip over Southern California. He says the country never looked so well and the outlook is more promising in all sections.

Dr. W. W. Dumm will preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.

Many Alhambra people are attending the great revival meetings in Los Angeles.

There was an interesting meeting of the Child Study Circle, with a good attendance. Mrs. Wheat, of Garvanza, read an excellent paper on the "Profession of Motherhood."

Many houses are being built on North Margaritta avenue.

SIERRA MADRE.

FOOTHILL TOWN ITEMS.

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 1.—George Humphries has received news of the death of his brother-in-law, Thomas William Taphouse, Mayor of Oxford, Eng.

R. A. Woodward and family, lately from the East, have taken a cottage here.

Mrs. Effie Klingesmith and two daughters arrived Saturday from Minnesota, and are guests of Mrs. S. H. Holmes and daughter, Mrs. Loa Pease.

Col. C. A. White and family of Chicago are expecting to arrive here in a few days to spend the rest of the cold weather season. They were here last winter.

DOWNEY.

NEW "HELLO" SOON.

DOWNEY, Feb. 1.—The Home Telephone Company has received its poles, and is driving stakes on the streets. Service is expected soon.

The directors of the Arroyo Ditch and Water Company elected A. L. Ball, president; William Caruthers, vice-president; Frank Burke, treasurer; John H. Ardis, secretary; E. A. Brunson, zanjero.

A telegram from Paducah, Ky., announces the death of Mrs. May Thompson-Finney, who resided in Downey a number of years and had many friends here.

Mrs. C. C. Farrington and Mrs. Ellen Bontwell of Cherry Creek, N. Y., mother and sister of Prof. E. A. Farrington, arrived Monday, to spend a few weeks.

CATALINA ISLAND.

WILL SPAN ARROYO.

AVALON, Feb. 1.—The material for the contsruction of a large bridge across the arroyo on Crescent avenue at the easterly end of town arrived yesterday and will be put in place as soon as possible. The span will be thirty feet.

The golfers are practicing for a local tournament which will be played Saturday afternoon.

HOLLYWOOD.

PASTOR RESIGNS.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 1.—Rev. H. J. Powell, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hollywood, has resigned to take a position with the American Baptist Missionary Union with headquarters in Fremont Temple, Boston. Mr. Powell assumed the pastorate here June 1 and has been very successful in creating an interest in the work of his denomination. The church, of which he was the first pastor, has a membership of thirty-five, and holds services in the Masonic Temple on Sunday afternoons.

The attendance at the Union high school has increased to such an extent that the temporary quarters will soon be too small. The board today decided to "hurry" work on the new building which is to be completed April 1 under a forfeit of $10 a day. Owing to delay in securing material the contractor is behind schedule time to such an extent that the building cannot be occupied before May or June unless all departments of work are rushed.

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OFFICE RACERS TROTTED OUT.

WILLIAM WATERHOUSE LATEST PASADENA CANDIDATE.

He and Munson Have Designs on City Treasury Stewardship—Casa Grande Hotel Changes Hands. Handsome Fenyes Home Sold for Nearly Forty Thousand Dollars.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 36 South Raymond avenue, Feb. 2.—The latest candidate for municipal honors is Capt. William Waterhouse, whose boom was officially started yesterday for the office of City Treasurer. It looks as though the most interesting fight of the campaign will be made for this office. Spencer M. Munson has also announced himself as having designs on the office, and both men are well known and have many backers. Among the signers to Munson's petition are James Clark, one of the strongest political stand-bys in the county, and James Campbell, the incumbent.

Waterhouse's petition was circulated yesterday afternoon and he didn't know of the honor that had been thrust upon him until a few minutes before Judge H. H. Klamroth set the paper streaming. Today A. I. Gammon will circulate another in Waterhouse's interest. Capt. Waterhouse lives at the northwest corner of Lake avenue and Villa street and is an old resident. He is a man of wealth, prominent in the Lake Avenue Congregational Church, and one of the hardest workers in the interest of improvement of the northeast section. He said last night:

"I wish it understood that I accept the candidacy with the understanding that if I am elected I go into office entirely unpledged. I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability."

It was understood that Munson has the support of the First National Bank, but Waterhouse's friends claim for him that there are no strings on their candidate—that in short no financial institution would reap any benefit should he be elected.

As yet no opposing candidate to Matthew Slavin for Mayor has turned up. It is said, however, that Ex-Mayor H. H. Weight may yet get into the race.

Councilman Twombly yesterday declared that under no circumstances would he stand for reelection. City Commissioner R. L. Metcalf has been named to succeed Twombly. Councilmen Heisz and Shibley will likely run for reelection.

CASA GRANDE SOLD.

La Casa Grande Hotel, northwest corner of Euclid and Colorado streets, has again changed hands. Edward Davis who held a half interest in the property has sold back to D. M. Linard, proprietor of the Maryland Hotel, holder of the other half interest. Elmer F. Woodbury, who owns a large slice of Maryland stock, has an option on Davis's interest in the Casa Grande and will likely buy of Linnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis bought into the Casa Grande last summer and did a great deal to improve the hostlery, adding to it the Spaulding Hotel, which is now connected. The Davises will return to Colorado. Davis retires on account of ill health.

FENYES HOME SOLD.

Another big real estate sale was reported yesterday, that of the handsome Fenyes property at No. 251 South Orange Grove boulevard. Mrs. Adelbert Fenyes sold her home through the agency of M. E. Wood to Henry M. Thompson for a trifle less than $40,000. The lot has a frontage of 150 feet on Orange Grove and 244 feet on Ellis street.

Thompson, the purchaser, is from Brooklyn, N. Y., and has resided in Pasadena for the past six years. He purchases the furniture, draperies, adornments and even the horses and carriages and will take possession immediately. Dr. and Mrs. Fenyes expect to live on East Colorado street opposite Worcester avenue, where they recently erected several handsome cottages.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Altadena is having trouble in its attempts to incorporate as a city of the sixth class. The principal difficulty is over the boundaries. Several petitions on the matter have been filed with the County Supervisors.

A. B. Streeter, a driver for the Pasadena Ice Company, left his horses in front of the First National Bank. They took fright at a bicycle and ran away. The bicycle was demolished.

Tonight in the Board of Trade rooms a mass meeting will be held for the discussion of the charter amendments which are to be voted upon on the 4th inst. Rain began falling yesterday afternoon and by nightfall was a steady downpour.

The Pasadena Sunday-school Superintendents' Union has arranged for a talk by Rev. Robert R. Meredith for every Friday evening beginning February 10 in the new Sunday-school rooms in the First Congregational Church.

The Lake-avenue Congregational Church is considering adopting the new system.

Yesterday Chief Freeman and Capt. Martin returned to William S. Eday a $1000 check which he presented them for finding his wife's jewels, and which the charter forbade the policemen to accept.

Building Inspector Buchanan reports that during the month of January he issued $121,673 worth of building permits as against $48,080 for the month of January last year.

The Iowa Society will meet this evening in the parlors of Hotel Carlton. Mary Winegar, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Winegar of Grand Rapids, Mich., died yesterday at the hospital.

The death of Horace Wolf, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Wolf, No. 185 East Hammond street, occurred yesterday. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the Wolf home.

Miss Nannie Shaffer will be married on February 15 to Walter L. Frost of Redondo. The wedding will take place at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shaffer of No. 56 North Hollister avenue.

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SANTA MONICA.

BRICK FOR THE OUTFALL.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—The first carload of machinery for the new brick factory being established in East Santa Monica by the Simons Brick Company has arrived and is being installed in the buildings that are being erected on the site. The office building is already occupied and the foundations are about ready to receive the machinery. More of the equipment is on the way from the East and it is expected that within a few weeks the plant will be in operation. Here brick will be manufactured to fill the order for the Los Angeles outfall sewer. The Sunset brick factory will also made brick at its plant here for the outfall sewer. It is expected that Santa Monica factories will supply not far short of 2000 trolley-car loads of brick for this purpose, and the factories here are expected to be operated at their full capacity for many months in filling the orders.

CITY DADS' DOINGS.

At the meeting of the City Trustees last night the property owners' petition for the establishing of the grade on India street was granted. This is the first step looking to the paving of that thoroughfare with concrete. A resolution of intention to grade and oil South Fourth street from Strand to Hill was adopted. A resolution was also adopted ordering the grading, oiling, curbing and sidewalking of Eleventh street from Oregon avenue to Nevada avenue. The annual report of the Ocean Park Water Company was submitted. It shows that the plant had received betterments during the year amounting to $6126.74. A petition asking that bicyclists be permitted to ride wheels on the Ocean Front sidewalks was referred to the City Attorney for a legal opinion. A remonstrance was received against the passage of any ordinance imposing a license tax upon building contractors.

ELKS' CLUBHOUSE.

The Elks of this city tonight formally dedicated their fine new clubhouse, which occupies a sightly location on Arizona avenue, fronting the ocean. These elegant quarters were formerly known as the Doria Jones mansion, the house having been erected a few years ago as a palatial residence at a cost of $15,000 for house and grounds. Since the local lodge of Elks has taken charge of the premises $500 has been spent in overhauling the house and refitting and refurnishing it throughout, until it is probably today the finest Elk clubhouse in Southern California. There are smoking and card rooms, billiard tables, a reception hall, dining-room and bed chambers. The furniture is of the mission style and there is a piano and the reading rooms are supplied with all of the popular periodicals and magazines. The grounds are well kept and handsome, with their palms and semi-tropical shrubs and foliage. The grounds are ample in size to permit of the erection of a lodge room adjoining the club quarters and the consummation of this plan is to be realized in the near future. The lodge is less than a year old and with a membership of 115 is growing rapidly.

The Santa Monica City Trustees at their meeting last night granted a permit to the Southern California Realty Company to erect a building at the foot of Marine street and extending into the sea for a distance of ninety feet. This structure, which is to cost $2,000, will be of the Moorish style of architecture. It will be in the nature of a bazaar and will be fifty feet in width and more than a hundred feet in length. The promoters of the enterprise announce that work is to be commenced on it within a few weeks. The plan is to make it a highly ornamental affair, with convenient booths and divers attractions. The idea embraces a plaza for music and many other features. The decorations alone it is stated will cost $5000.

SANTA MONICA JOTS.

E. C. Waltmyer is building a five-room home on Fourteenth street and Michigan avenue. F. C. Marvin is erecting a six-room cottage on Sixteenth street and Michigan. C. C. Almans is soon to begin work on a bungalow on Fifteenth street. H. G. Gilman is building a cottage on Twenty-third street.

The Santa Monica bowling team lost three games to Long Beach last night and dropped to third or fourth place in the league tournament.

The Wistaria Club gave its first rehearsal of "Above the Clouds" this evening. The play will be put on in February at the Auditorium.

The total rainfall of Santa Monica for the season is 4.40 inches. A gentle rain is falling this evening.

W. C. Dutton conducted a temperance meeting at Hull Hall tonight. The attendance was large and the interest intense.

At 7 o'clock tomorrow morning a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated at St. Monica Catholic Church for Rev. P. Smith of San Pedro.

W. B. Lawrence, John M. Watkins, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLauren and daughter, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; George P. Gorttman, Mrs. Gorttman and Miss Gorttman, Pittsburgh, Pa., are at the Arcadia.

Joseph Burkhard, accompanied by his family has arrived at home on the beach after an absence of almost a year in Europe.

L. C. Watkey is to again be a resident of Santa Monica and will be connected with the management of the local water company. R. M. Miller is no longer connected with the water management.

Surveys are being made by the Los Angeles Pacific's engineering corps for the new line, that is to connect Sawtelle with the Soldiers' Home and reach Santa Monica by way of the cañon. The preliminary survey in Sawtelle runs north on the alley between Sixth and Seventh streets.

Mrs. Martha Herrick, department president of the Ladies of G.A.R., is expected to reach Sawtelle this week, when it is expected work will be ordered commenced on the cottages that are designed to accommodate the veterans and their families. As per present plans the cottages will be of two stories each. All will be quite similar in design and there will eventually be a large number of them.

CLAREMONT.

RUBBER FOR TRACKERS.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 1.—Coach Hempel has procured the services of a professional rubber for the track team. Hill, the new rubber, comes highly recommended and will no doubt be able to better the condition of the men of the team by his skill. Everything possible is being done by the trustees and faculty to aid Hempel in perfecting the athletics of the college.

Rev. H. W. Pope of the Northfield extension movement is holding evangelistic services this week. The meetings will continue one week.

Jacob A. Riis will address the students of Pomona College Monday evening in Holmes Hall Chapel. This is an unexpected treat for students and citizens, and was only made possible by the intimate friendship between President Gates and Mr. Riis.

Miss Ada M. Coy, '04, of San Bernardino, and Miss Agness Taylor, '04, of Ontario, visited Monday with Miss Bertha Eldridge.

THREE MISSING ON ROUGH SEA.

ALARM AT SAN PEDRO FOR A PARTY IN SKIFF.

Duncan Baxter and Companions Go Out in New Craft on Fishing Trip and, After Being Away All Night, Search is Made, but Without Finding Them—Contrary Wind.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 1.—Anxiety is felt here for Charles Johnson, Tom Hagerty and Duncan Baxter, who left this port yesterday morning in a small skiff, rigged with a sail, for a fishing trip, intending to return last night.

This morning friends of the men became alarmed, and Alexander Bluhm and W. Crockett went out in search of the missing men, going as far as Point Vincent, but returned without finding any trace of them.

The skiff was recently built for Charles Johnson, one of the men, and the fact that this was the initial trip of the little boat, adds to the fear that all may not be well with the men.

Duncan Baxter is an old Scotch sailmaker, well known at Terminal, where he resides. Johnson and Hagerty are longshoremen. All the men are past middle age.

This evening the wind has shifted to the southeast, with rain, and as the sea is rough outside it is hardly probable that the men can make shore, if they have not already done so. They carried only a small amount of provision, and having no top coats are not prepared for rough weather and exposure to the elements.

SUPPRESSING THE BOSS.

The petition for the reorganization of the city of San Pedro and changing it from a sixth class to a fifth class city was presented to the Board of Trustees last night. This is the petition of which agitator "Boss" Craig, secretary of the local labor union, is the principal daddy, and through which he hopes to accomplish the recall of the present municipal officers.

Upon motion of Trustee Mahar the petition was referred to the City Clerk to determine if the requisite number of signatures are affixed as provided by law, and in case the required number have signed, City Attorney Karr was instructed to prepare an ordinance calling the election. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote of the board, which seem heartily in favor of putting a quietus to "Boss" Craig with the greatest possible dispatch.

There is but little probability that the fine Italian scheme of "Boss" Craig for a "recall" through the medium of reorganization will succeed. Already the voters are asking "What is to be gained by the proposed change?" Should the city be reorganized it will lose about 30 per cent. of its present school fund allotment, as the district now includes the German settlement, and in addition the taxes would be materially increased. Neither do the thinking people and those of large interests relish the idea of having a one-idea man like "Boss" Craig in the saddle, whipping his henchmen into line, and riding roughshod over the property and personal rights of all interests save his own.

BIDDING ON SEWERS.

Bids were opened last night by the Board of Trustees for the building of the important Palos Verdes street outfall sewer. The work has been divided into four sections, and most of the proposals received did not include section No. 4, which with the exception of the first 200 feet, will be in the outer harbor and below mean low water. The Hall Construction Company, and Ramish & Marsh were the only two firms submitting bids to include this section. The bid of the former for the entire work was $20,300, and of the latter, $18,100.

The entire length of section 4 of the Palos Verdes street outfall is to be 1900 feet. The specifications provide that this section shall be constructed of fourteen-inch double strength saltglazed vitrified sewer pipe embedded in concrete.

Action upon the bids was deferred by the board until next Monday night. It is stated that the bid of Ramish & Marsh, of Los Angeles, in the sum of $18,100, is well within the estimates of City Engineer Whitman.

SEAPORT BRIEFS.

City Recorder J. V. B. Goodrich probably holds the record for rapid judicial work. Yesterday morning Hamilton Forest and his wife, Epiphany Forest, arrived here on the 11 o'clock car. At 11:45 o'clock they were arrested for peddling without a license. A few minutes before 12 o'clock, noon, they appeared before Recorder Goodrich, pleaded guilty and paid their fine, after which they departed on the 1 o'clock car for Los Angeles.

The launch Bonnie Bird has been sold by Al Larson to John Bird of the Crescent Wharf Company.

ALHAMBRA.

NEW YORK WOMAN HURT.

ALHAMBRA, Feb. 1.—The committee appointed to investigate the street shade-tree question will make a report to the Main-street property owners and all others interested at the City Hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Alhambra Chapter, O. E. S. had an interesting time Monday evening, when District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Willa King of Los Angeles made an official visit and inspection. Mrs. Lambert, matron of Acacia Chapter, Mrs. Waterman, matron and Mr. McKinnie, patron of Palestine Chapter, Los Angeles, were in attendance. The district deputy, Mrs. King, was presented with a souvenir spoon by the chapter, after which came addresses from the visitors and refreshments in the banquet hall.

Mrs. Anna Jackson, an elderly lady from New York State, came from Los Angeles on an electric car this morning to visit the family of S. J. Pickett in Dolgeville. At the usual stopping place, the Main street crossing of the Southern Pacific road, she attempted to alight from the car after it had started, and was thrown violently. She was taken up unconscious by James Stuart, and carried into his office, where after a few minutes she revived and was taken to the home of her friends, the Picketts. Mrs. Jackson was severely bruised and perhaps hurt internally, although it is not thought at this time anything serious will result.

A good baseball game was played here Saturday afternoon between a team from the Whittier High School and one from the Alhambra High School. The result of the game was a score of 5 to 3 in favor of Whittier. There was no scoring or errors after the fourth inning.

Justice Northrup has been laid up by illness a few days, but is now improving.

B. Cohen has returned home from a month's commercial trip over Southern California. He says the country never looked so well and the outlook is more promising in all sections.

Dr. W. W. Dumm will preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.

Many Alhambra people are attending the great revival meetings in Los Angeles.

There was an interesting meeting of the Child Study Circle, with a good attendance. Mrs. Wheat, of Garvanza, read an excellent paper on the "Profession of Motherhood."

Many houses are being built on North Margaritta avenue.

SIERRA MADRE.

FOOTHILL TOWN ITEMS.

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 1.—George Humphries has received news of the death of his brother-in-law, Thomas William Taphouse, Mayor of Oxford, Eng.

R. A. Woodward and family, lately from the East, have taken a cottage here.

Mrs. Effie Klingesmith and two daughters arrived Saturday from Minnesota, and are guests of Mrs. S. H. Holmes and daughter, Mrs. Loa Pease.

Col. C. A. White and family of Chicago are expecting to arrive here in a few days to spend the rest of the cold weather season. They were here last winter.

DOWNEY.

NEW "HELLO" SOON.

DOWNEY, Feb. 1.—The Home Telephone Company has received its poles, and is driving stakes on the streets. Service is expected soon.

The directors of the Arroyo Ditch and Water Company elected A. L. Ball, president; William Caruthers, vice-president; Frank Burke, treasurer; John H. Ardis, secretary; E. A. Brunson, zanjero.

A telegram from Paducah, Ky., announces the death of Mrs. May Thompson-Finney, who resided in Downey a number of years and had many friends here.

Mrs. C. C. Farrington and Mrs. Ellen Bontwell of Cherry Creek, N. Y., mother and sister of Prof. E. A. Farrington, arrived Monday, to spend a few weeks.

CATALINA ISLAND.

WILL SPAN ARROYO.

AVALON, Feb. 1.—The material for the contsruction of a large bridge across the arroyo on Crescent avenue at the easterly end of town arrived yesterday and will be put in place as soon as possible. The span will be thirty feet.

The golfers are practicing for a local tournament which will be played Saturday afternoon.

HOLLYWOOD.

PASTOR RESIGNS.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 1.—Rev. H. J. Powell, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hollywood, has resigned to take a position with the American Baptist Missionary Union with headquarters in Fremont Temple, Boston. Mr. Powell assumed the pastorate here June 1 and has been very successful in creating an interest in the work of his denomination. The church, of which he was the first pastor, has a membership of thirty-five, and holds services in the Masonic Temple on Sunday afternoons.

The attendance at the Union high school has increased to such an extent that the temporary quarters will soon be too small. The board today decided to "hurry" work on the new building which is to be completed April 1 under a forfeit of $10 a day. Owing to delay in securing material the contractor is behind schedule time to such an extent that the building cannot be occupied before May or June unless all departments of work are rushed.

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CLEARANCE OF ALL JAPANESE MERCHANDISE THIS WEEK

Our Mr. M. A. Hamburger leaves shortly for his annual trip to Japan where all of our Oriental goods are purchased under his personal supervision and imported by the firm direct. For this reason our present stocks of Japanese goods have been materially reduced in price for a quick clearance and they consist of both articles for household uses and wearing apparel. We can save you money this week.

SOUTH PARK TO TRADE
Hamburger's
127 to 147 N. Spring St. Los Angeles
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Special Portiere Attractions

Offerings of Merit at Sharply Reduced Prices

For Extra Heavy Reversible Portieres Worth $4.00

$2.95 They are full 50 inches wide, and 3 yards long, have deep thow-over fringe, and are made in copies of the real Bagdad curtains; are reversible and extra heavy; actually worth $4.00. Special for House Furnishing Day, per pair $2.95.

Extra Fine Scotch Lace Curtains—These are of double twisted thread in fine weave, shaded designs in twelve different styles; are 50 and 60-inch widths and are made with buttonhole edge; will give the hardest kind of wear and are regular $2.75 values. Special, per pair $1.95

Handsome Novelty Curtains—They are of the very latest weave in combination effects; some are heavy guipure, others fish net, and others Calais net, making the very richest of the new curtains; really worth $4.00. Special, per pair $2.75

Mme. Pott's Irons per set 75c

They are the genuine make, known the world over and usually sell everywhere at $1.25 per set. They are full nickel plated irons. They have been slightly damaged in transit but hardly enough to be noticeable yet in order to dispose of them at once they will be on sale for Thursday as a special Housefurnishing leader, no mail or phone orders and none to dealers at, per set 75c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Table Tumblers per doz. 29c

As a merchandise flyer for Thursday we will feature fifty barrels of fine quality clear crystal glass tumbler with heavy bottoms; are in flare shape and such as are usually sold at 50c per dozen. They are the kind mostly used in restaurants and hotels and are equally good for home purposes. For the one day no phone orders, per dozen 29c

THIRD FLOOR

Attractive Curtain Specials

Several Styles Underpriced for House Furnishing Day

$1.75 Grenadine Curtains at 98c a Pair

They are of cross stripe grenadine, full width and length, closely woven, and in five different colorings; very handsome and adapted for either doors or windows; excellent for wear; are good $1.75 values. Special, per pair 98c

Armure Tapestry Portieres—Silk mercerized armure tapestry portieres, in the latest weaves; also others in plain grounds with fine satin side borders; all of them regular $8.50 values. Special, per pair $4.95

Fine Armure Tapestry Portieres—Have very handsome self-tone effects with neat raised figures both sides; have heavy Verona brocaded plush borders down sides and across bottom; reduced from $8.75. A special offering for Thursday, pr.... $5.95

Beds, Springs and Mattresses Underpriced

Home Comforts at Camping Outfit Prices

This is a line in which we undersell and practically have no competition. The following special items well illustrate our leadership, and should merit your response on Thursday, without fail.

Fine White Enamel Beds at $2.50

As an extra special value, we offer 300 finely finished white enamel beds, either 3 ft. 6 inch or 4 ft. 6 inch widths, with heavy fancy chills, and steel joints; finished with three coats of the best baked on enamel, and as well constructed as any $10.00 bed on the market; you may buy 1 or 100 and without any obligation to purchase springs or mattress, at the lowest price ever quoted in Los Angeles, each..... $2.50

$7.50 Fancy Enameled Beds at $5.95

These are handsomely finished in blue, green or white china enamel; some with all scroll head and foot; others with heavy solid brass rail, ball and full mounts; extra high headboards and come in all sizes; are actual $7.50 values. For Housefurnishing Day, each..... $5.95

Beautiful Vernis Martin Finish Beds—This is a new and very handsome finish, superior in every way to the cheap brass; these beds have full continued post; large fancy chills and steel joints; are specially priced and great value at, each.... $9.50

Fine Spiral Springs worth $4.00—These have 120 japanned steel spiral springs and make one of the most comfortable styles on the market, as well as being easily kept perfectly clean; are regular $4.00 value. Special, each $2.95

Fine Combination Cotton Mattress—These are made of heavy striped ticking with thick layer of cotton top, bottom and sides; closely stitched and tufted; are actually worth $4.75. Special, each $3.75

$8.50 Hair Mattress Made of best A. C. A. heavy ticking, filled with black hair; extra closely double stitched and tufted; one of the most serviceable mattresses on the market and really worth $12. Special at $8.50

Matting Surprises

Plan a Little Ahead

As mattings are not only serviceable for bedrooms in the city but are most always wanted for beach cottages and as the season will soon open, look a little ahead and purchase these necessary floor coverings now for the values are much more than the prices asked.

15c Matting at per Yard 9c

These are of a good grade China matting of a heavy straw; small checked effects and this lot of 2000 yards is our own direct importation that ordinarily would sell at 15c but priced for Thursday at per yard..... 9c

25c Japanese Matting per Yard 19c

An exceptionally fine quality linen warp Japanese matting in full rolls; all new fresh goods and will sell in any length desired. They are in red, blue or green patterns, either large carpet designs or small geometrical figures and are 25c values for Thursday per yd... 19c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Rugs Cheaper than Carpets

No Cutting—No Mismatching to Fit

Rugs are now in such general use as floor coverings that it necessitates a store like this carrying an exceptionally large stock. We are thoroughly in position to satisfy every want and in accordance with our usual Thursday practice offer some very exceptional values that you can by no possibility afford to overlook for the prices are much less than elsewhere.

$15.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs at $12.50

They are room size, 9x10½ ft; are in the very newest colorings and patterns; exceptionelly well made for hard service and are new goods just from the mills. Other stores sell no better at $15.00. Our leader at..... $12.50

$1.75 Wool Smyrna Rugs $1.25

These are the nice little rugs for placing in front of dressers, between doors or to cover up the worn spots in a larger rug. They are 30x60 inch size; strictly wool rugs and sell regularly at $1.75 but specially priced for Thursday at..... $1.25

Reception Hall Rugs—convenient size, 4x7 ft. and are in the latest La Art Naveau design; are the very finest quality Smyrna weave and will outwear any two ordinary rugs. Price has been reduced from $9.00 to..... $6.95

Ingrain Art Squares—a consignment just received and all of them new goods, except copies of the very best wool goods and are in any color to match room furnishings and the designs run through to the back making them practically reversible. They are serviceable for any room and priced as follows—

7½x9 ft. art square at	$3.09
9x9 ft. art square at	$3.69
9x10½ ft. art square at	$4.29
9x12 ft. art square at	$4.89

Japanese Hand Made Rugs—in the best Oriental colorings and patterns; are very similar to the genuine Turkish rugs and price considered, will give equally as good service for they can be used in any room or office. Special prices Thursday as follows—

$14.00, 9x12 ft. Japanese rug, $11.85
$10.50 7½x10½ ft. Jap. rug, $7.95.
$7.50 6x9 ft. Jap. rug, $5.95.
$5.00 4x7 ft. Jap. rug, $3.50.
$2.50 30x60-inch Jap. rug, $1.49.
$1.75 26x54-inch Jap. rug, 98c.

SECOND FLOOR.

All Wool Waists Half Price

Phenomenal Offering of Stylish Garments.

LAST STAB AT WINTER VALUES

We give you choice of every wool waist in stock at half price and the materials comprise Madras, wool Flannels and Cheviots, wool Canvas cloth and practically every other wanted material; also scores of vesting waists at even less than half. They are in all the wanted colorings and latest trimmings. Can you afford to miss the opportunity?

$3.98 wool waists reduced to..... $1.99
$5 wool waists reduced to $2.50
$5.98 wool waists reduced to..... $2.99
$6.50 wool waists reduced to..... $3.25
$6.98 wool waists reduced to..... $3.49
$8.50 wool waists reduced to..... $4.25
$2.98, $3.98 and $5 vesting waists at, choice..... $1.49
$6.50, $7.50 and $8.50 vesting waists, at choice..... $2.00

SECOND FLOOR.

Phenomenal Offering in Fancy Vests

Men's Finest, Most Stylish Vests Worth to $5.00 at $1.69

A Real Bargain That no Man Will Overlook

So great is the value that we are able to offer, that we know the one thousand vests in the lot will not begin to supply the number of demands so the first come, first served. There is not a vest in the lot worth less than $3.50 or $4.00 and most of them $5.00, but they were bought from the best factory in New York and they comprise everything new in vestings such as mercerized silk, gun metal mercerized textiles, French flannels and Basket weaves. Some are in fancy colors; others black and white effects; some gray with dotted patterns; others black grounds with silk polkadots and figures in fact they are in every wanted pattern and coloring and are either single or double breasted styles, for slims, stouts and average size figures in sizes 33 to 44. They will go on sale for the first time Thursday at, choice.....

$1.69

Matchless Values in Women's Wearables

Tailored Suits and Walking Skirts Sold Without Profit

$20 Stylish Tailored Suits at $10

There are just 25 suits in the lot; jackets 27 to 36-inch lengths; loose or fitted styles. The materials are the popular novelty textiles in medium and dark colorings trimmed with self material; are nicely made throughout and have originally sold at $20. They will go on sale for Thursday and while they last, at, choice..... $10.00

$5 and $7.50 Walking Skirts, $2.98

These skirts are of fine Melton cloth and mannish textiles in dark gray shades; neat patterns; are trimmed with self plaits, self strapping and buttons; are cut full; are correctly tailored and have sold all season at $5.00 and $7.50 Specially priced for Thursday, no phone orders at, choice..... $2.98

SECOND FLOOR

Extra Fine Face Towels, each 12½c

An unparalleled opportunity to fill the linen closet, for we offer 100 dozen face towels for Thursday's selling much under the regular value. Half of them are of white absorbent cotton, size 18x38 inches, nicely hemstitched ends; the other half full bleached towels with red brocaded borders and hemmed ends. These also are 18x38-inch size, but both are splendid values for the one day priced at..... 12½c

Turkish Bath Mats Nearly Half Price

These are the fancy Turkish bath mats—light or dark colors; pretty patterns; best of make. Described and priced as follows for Thursday only:

$1.00, 27x45-inch bath mats at..... 59c
$2.00, 27x50-inch bath mats at..... 95c

$3.50 White Wool Blankets at $2.49

Good Winter Covering at a Bargain

These are not the kind of blankets that scantily cover the bed, but are the 11-quarter size; are of a selected stock; closely woven, weigh 4½ pounds to the pair and are finished with wide silk bindings. There are just sixty pairs in the lot and are worth regularly $3.50, but for Thursday offered less than the price of cotton blankets, for they go on sale at, per pair..... $2.49

THIRD FLOOR.

Buy the Boy a New Suit

An Opportunity Open to Every Parent in Los Angeles.

Fortunate Those Who Can Make a Purchase.

Boys' $3.50 Wool Winter Suits at $2.00

The sale price does not begin to pay for the material by the yard as it comes from the factory but our up-to-date merchandising and taking advantage of every opportunity in the wholesale market has put us in possession of an exceptionally large line of boys' suits in sizes 3 to 12 years; are regulation Norfolk style with large box plaits on front and back with belts of same material; coats lined with Italian cloth; pants knee length with double stitched and taped seams. The materials are wool Cheviots in seasonable patterns, mottled and fancy mixtures; both light and dark colorings and not one of them can be duplicated anywhere under $3.50. For this sale, no mail orders will be filled and they will be offered for Thursday only

At Choice $2.00

SECOND FLOOR.

Ready-made Pillow Cases at 12½c

You cannot purchase the material at this price, and they would cost you half as much more to have them made. As they are articles of daily household use, the lot of 75 dozen offered for Thursday's selling should not last more than a few hours. They are 42x36-inch size, of a good quality muslin with a wide hem, and are offered at, each..... 12½c

Extra Fine Pillow Cases at, Each 15c

These are as good quality as necessary at any time or for any purpose. They are extra well made from good pillow casing; torn, not cut, and are made and ironed by hand. They are unexcelled for service, and a lot of 100 dozen on sale for Thursday only, none to dealers, at, each..... 15c

$2.00 Japanese Kimonos at $1.00

Sale Price Less Than Actual Cost of Material

Every woman knows just what Japanese Crepe is and that the cheapest price by the yard is 25c and that it takes 5 to 6 yards for a garment. Our offering for Thursday only of a large lot of these pretty full length kimonos in colorings of pink, blue, green and red with fancy figured Japanese patterns, have large sleeves and are finished with belt. Regularly sold at $2, will be a merchandising bargain that you cannot resist for they are all on sale for the one day at, choice $1.00

SECOND FLOOR.